WEATHER REPORT . . .
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13.—Northern California: Showers this p. m., tonight and Tuesday; brisk SE winds; probably heavy weather along the coast.
San Francisco and Vicinity: Showers this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow; brisk southeasterly winds.

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AGUINALDO SURROUNDED

Rebels Stores Captured and Prisoners Taken By Americans.

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MANILA, Nov. 13—8:45 A. M.—General Young is supposed to have reached San Nicholas, about thirty miles east of Dagupan, but his wagons are far behind.

Colonel Hayes has captured Aguinaldo's secretary, and Major Coleman is in Carranglian with an escort of 175 Botomen, on his way to the province of Nueva Visaya. The son of General Llanerus and his family are prisoners. The General barely escaped.

The correspondent of the Associated Press with General Young telegraphs from San Jose that Aguinaldo could not escape to the northeast. He and his army, the correspondent adds, are surrounded. His last orders to the Filipino commandar at San Jose were to hold San Jose and Carranglian at all costs.

INSURGENTS DEMORALIZED.

The recent encounters were too one-sided to be called fights. The insurgents are mortally afraid of the Americans, however strong their position. They make but a brief and feeble resistance, and run when the terrible American yell reaches their ears, whereupon the Americans pursue them and slay many.

The moral effect of the news that 60,000 troops are on their way here has been unquestionably great.

DISEASE DECIMATES REBELS.

The insurgents are suffering more from disease than the Americans, owing to poor food, lack of medicines and filthy hospitals, with the result that there is great mortality among them. General Lawton has intercepted a telegram from an insurgent Captain to a Filipino General reading:

"Now can you blame me for retreating when only twelve of my company were able to fight?"

DISPATCH FROM GEN. OTIS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The following dispatch from General Otis was received at the War Department today:

"MANILA, Nov. 13.—MacArthur's advance, Thirty-sixth Volunteers and cavalry troops under Bell, entered Tarlac 7:10 P. M. yesterday. Enemy fled, but with labor MacArthur succeeded in getting forward to Capas yesterday all artillery and quartermaster's transportation and will have command in Tarlac today, his advance pushing forward to save as much of railroad as possible, which enemy trying to destroy on retreat. Many deserters from enemy, who passed into MacArthur's lines some thirty miles yesterday. Insurgents in that section reported to be short of provisions.

LAWTON'S GOOD WORK.

"Lawton pushing forward with great energy. His advance obliged to leave behind all transportation and depend to great extent upon country for subsistence. Hayes with Fourth Cavalry in vicinity of Carranglian, has captured large amount insurgent property and nearly half battalion of 400 Botomen transporting Aguinaldo's property north over mountains, together with his private secretary and seven officers.

IMPORTANT CAPTURE.

"Young, with Third Cavalry and Batson's Macabebe scouts, followed by Hall and Twenty-second Infantry, leaving behind all transportation, pushed out on San Jose Lupam, San Quentin and Mayug road, and scattered enemy stationed at these points, most of whom driven southwestward. Wessels, with squadron Third Cavalry, hastened forward to Mayug, where insurgents' supply depot was captured, securing several hundred thousand pounds of rice, 3,500 pounds flour, 7,500 pounds salt and other provisions, 1,300 uniform coats, new, many blankets and other articles of clothing, also number of insurgent prisoners and sixty-nine Spanish and several other prisoners. Detachment sent to San Nicholas, and it is believed that Young established communication with Wheaton's troops last evening. Indications are that insurgents will not escape to mountain capitals at Bayombong without great difficulty and loss, if at all. Our troops at Tarlac, Arbag, Taliveneg, San Jose Papo, Humiginang, San Quentin, Mayug, San Nicholas, on through to Lingayen gulf, with strong stations at Aragyat, San Isidro, Cabanatuan, should cause insurgents some annoyance.

"Our troops have suffered great hardships and have performed most severe service, but are reported in excellent condition and spirits. The enterprise and indomitable will displayed by officers never excelled.

"(Signed) OTIS."

The spelling of names of towns in above is as given in the cable dispatch. As the American forces have now reached a point in Luzon the maps of which are necessarily imperfect, the War Department adheres to the text of the cable.

LIEUT. DAVIS KILLED.

Later in the day the department received a second dispatch from General Otis, as follows:

"MANILA, Nov. 13.—No news of Lawton's advance received yesterday. MacArthur's troops took Bamban and Capas, four miles north of Bamban, both on railroad, and Concepcion, to east of railroad, yesterday. Insurgents reported 1,500 strong retiring rapidly northward, making slight resistance. Our casualties: Second Lieutenant Davis, Thirty-sixth Volunteers, killed, three enlisted men reported killed. Strong reconnoissance from Capas in direction of Tarlac today. Condition of roads and streams render general advance with wagon transportation impracticable. Enemy appear to be in demoralized condition and show much disorganization, as indicated by captured telegraphic dispatches and deserters from their ranks."

GENERAL CASTRO IS TRIUMPHANT.

Puerto Cabello Taken After a Bloody Battle--Now Master of Venezuela.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Both the State and Navy Departments have received reports concerning the surrender of Parades at Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, yesterday. The State Department dispatch is from Minister Loomis at Caracas, and is as follows:

"After eight hours' fighting, Castro's army took Puerto Cabello this morning. Killed and wounded aggregate 300.

GEN. CASTRO SUPREME.

"Surgeons and hospital corps from foreign cruisers attending wounded. Local facilities inadequate. Castro holds every port and place of consequence in Venezuela."

The Navy Department's report comes from Commander Hemphill of the Detroit, which is now at Puerto Cabello. It is dated last night at 9:30 o'clock and reads as follows:

"Severe fighting since Saturday morning. About 300 killed on both sides. Parades surrendered his final position to Castro's forces Sunday morning."

BLAME PUT ON PACIFIC COAST.

St. Louis Business Men Before Interstate Commission.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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ST. LOUIS, Nov. 13.—The Interstate Commerce Commission began the hearing today of the complaint of the St. Louis Business Men's League against Pacific Coast railroads and their connections in the matter of discrimination against St. Louis in the fixing of freight rates.

Of the Commission only four members were present—Chairman M. A. Knapp, C. T. Prouty, J. D. Yeomans, and J. C. Clements.

Ex-Governor Joseph W. Fifer of Illinois, who was recently appointed a member, is here but has not been sworn in.

All the defendants' roads were represented by counsel, as were also a number of cities other than St. Louis, which desired to join with her in the complaint of freight rate discrimination.

H. C. Christy and Hon. W. J. Calhoun a former member of the Commission, appeared as counsel for the Business Men's League.

Attorney E. S. Pillsbury read a lengthy petition of intervention on behalf of the Pacific Coast Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, who decided to join with the railroads in replying to the complaint. On behalf of the plaintiff's contentions, petitions of intervention were filed by the Chicago Merchants' Association, the Merchants' and Manufacturers of Milwaukee, the Jobbers and Shippers of St. Paul and Minneapolis, the Kansas Transportation Bureau of Kansas City and the Commercial Club of St. Joseph, Mo.

After Attorney Christy had read their complaint, M. J. Landingham, commissioner of the St. Louis Traffic Bureau, was placed on the stand as first witness for the plaintiff. His testimony was largely technical.

From existing tariffs he showed how the Middle West was being practically excluded from Pacific Coast territory because of discrimination in rates. The points he expected to show were that unreasonable differences exist between carload and less than carload rates and commodity rates, and that there were such variations in the less than carload rates on hardware and other articles that St Louis and Middle Western jobbers could not route on freight to the Pacific Coast at a profit.

Mr. Landingham's testimony consumed most of the first session.

JAPAN DEFIES RUSSIA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says the differences between Russia and Japan have been accentuated by Japan's refusal to grant Russia a foothold on the sea front of Masampo harbor, Korea.

HOBART IS IMPROVING.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 3.—Vice-President Hobart continues to improve. He slept well last night and was comfortable this morning.

BURGHERS MEET A BLOODY REPULSE.

Lose Heavily In Attack on Ladysmith and Their Guns Are Silenced After Four Hours' Fighting.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A special dispatch from Durban, Natal, dated Thursday evening, November 9, says:

"Native runners who have just arrived here from the Draakensburg district report that the Boers suffered a severe defeat at Ladysmith this morning. The Boer guns were silenced after four hours' fighting, during which the Boer losses were heavy. No details have been received."

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LONDON, Nov. 13.—The simultaneous attacks on Ladysmith, Mafeking and Kimberly, which were opened Thursday, manifest full recognition by the Boers of the fact that every day lessens the chances of a successful onslaught on any of the three British strongholds. General Joubert's chances of reaching Pietermaritzburg can be said to have vanished. This is already reported to be admitted by Colonel Schiel, the German officer commanding the Boer artillery, who is supposed to have been largely the author of the Boer plan of the campaign, and who in an interview is alleged to have said:

NATAL'S CAPITAL SAFE.

"The Boer intention was to have captured Pietermaritzburg and then to dictate terms. But all hope of accomplishing this must now be abandoned. There is no doubt that from the British point of view the general situation in Natal is rapidly improving. Nearly 8,000 troops reached South Africa during the last forty-eight hours, and by the end of the week from 6,000 to 7,000 more will probably be pushed forward to Estcourt, bringing the British force there up to 10,000 men and making a general attack on Ladysmith by General Joubert very hazardous.

RELIEF FOR LADYSMITH IS NEAR AT HAND.

As the cavalry and artillery belonging to General Methuen's division will not have arrived by then, the advance from Estcourt may be delayed. But if it is deemed essential to open communication with the beleaguered town at the earliest possible moment, General Methuen, it is believed, may decide to replace the regular cavalry and artillery by the native outlander forces and the naval guns, in which case, it is claimed, it ought to be possible to occupy Colenso and stretch out a hand to General White by Monday, though it is believed the course to be followed by eneral Methuen must necessarily be dictated by official knowledge of General White's position and resources, and the experts hope General Methuen will be able to await the concentration of the whole division before advancing and thus have a better chance of dealing a telling blow at General Joubert's main army, which it is asserted will be caught between two British forces and compelled either to fight a general action or retire to their strongholds. A Drakensburg dispatch via Durban, which was brought in by a Kaffir, reporting severe defeats of the Boers at Ladysmith Thursday, may turn out to be true, but from previous experience it must be received with caution. It apears, however, certain that heavy fighting occurred and that the Liddite of the naval guns must have had a dire effect upon the burgher forces if it reached them.

LADYSMITH IN NO DANGER OF CAPTURE.

A belated dispatch from Ladysmith dated November 6th, by way of Estcourt November 9th, confirms the idea that the temporary cessation of the Boer bombardment was due to General Joubert awaiting the arrival of other position guns before tackling the work in earnest. It also says:

"Everyone is cheerful and confident. We can show a rigid front for weeks to come. Hitherto the bombardment has done little damage. Yesterday the Boers sent in eight wounded from Dundee. We have been by train to the Boers' advanced post. The Boers consider their success was due to the justness of their cause. They have been guilty of abusing the Red Cross flag. A number of guns are in position all around us. It was difficult at first to locate them owing to the smokeless explosives, but a balloon managed to discover all the positions."

All the news from Kimberly and Mafeking continues to point to the ability of those places to hold out until the plans of relief now maturing can be consummated.

Captain, the Hon. Douglas Henry Marshall, reported killed in the dispatches received from Colonel Baden-Powell at Mafeking, under date of October 31, was the third son of the Earl of Romney.

Captain C. A. Patchell, also named in the same dispatches as among the killed, had seen considerable service in India. The stopping of the French steamer Cordoba by the British cruiser Magicienne near Lourenzo Marquez, Delagoa Bay, is bound to be much commented on.

DEFENDERS OF MAFEKING ARE INDOMITABLE

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The War Office this morning published the following dispatch received from General Buller:

CAPE TOWN, Sunday night, Nov. 12.—The following reports have been received from Colonel Baden-Powell:

"MAFEKING, Monday, Oct. 30.—All well here. Enemy apparently shy of attacking. Now closing to invest us. Are today destroying railroad twelve miles north with dynamite. Shelling continues, doing very little harm.

"Tuesday, October 31.—Enemy attempted assault today on cannon kopje and southeast corner of town. Attacked most brilliantly, notwithstanding hot shell fire by the British South African police under Walford. Enemy lost heavily.

"Our casualties, five killed and five wounded.

"Killed—Captain Hon. H. D. Marsham, Fourth Bedfordshire; C. A. Petchell, Third King's Rifles; a Sergeant Major and two troopers.

"Wounded—Five non-commissioned troopers, all British South African police."

The War Office has also made public the following dispatch from General Buller:

COLONEL POWELL'S SORTIE.

CAPE TOWN, Sunday, Nov. 12.—The following is from Nicholson:

"BULUWAYO, Sunday, Nov. 5.—The following is from Baden-Powell:

"MAFEKING, Wednesday, Oct. 25.—All well here. Enemy still shelling us. We made successful night attack on his advance trenches last night, getting in with bayonet. Our loss six men, Protectorate regiment, killed; nine men, including Captain Fitz-Clarence, Third Royal Fusileers, and Lieutenant Swinton, wounded. Enemy's loss unknown, but considerable. Enemy have vacated Signal Hill and lengered two miles northeast of town."

The Colonial Office today gave out the following extract from a telegram received from the Governor of Natal:

"Lieutenant Lolthbridge of the Rifle Brigade, who was dangerously wounded November 7th at Ladysmith, Lieutenant Nesbit of the Gloucester regiment, and the wounded prisoners at Pretoria are reported by a refugee to be doing well."

TROOP SHIP AT CAPE TOWN.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Advices received here today announce that the British troop ship Oriental, with seventy-five officers and 1,219 men on board, has arrived at Cape Town.

The British troop ship Hawarden Castle has sailed from Cape Town for Durban.

FRENCH STEAMER HELD UP.

LOURENZO MARQUEZ, Delagoa Bay, Thursday, Nov. 9.—The French steamer Cordoba has arrived here. When seventy miles out she was signaled by the British third-class cruiser, Magicienne, and as she did not obey a blank shot was fired across her bows. After her mail list was examined she was allowed to proceed.

DESERTING THE BOERS.

QUEENSTOWN, Cape Colony, Wednesday, Nov. 8.—The Boer commander and several burghers, unarmed, visited Burghersdorp yesterday. There is no sign of the Boers at Dordrecht. At a meeting of the Dutch residents at Aliwal North yesterday, protests were sent to Premier Schreiner against the abandonment of the town. The Dutch police there have deserted the Boers.

GERMANY'S BUMP OF DISCRETION.

Why She Lines Up With Great Britain and America.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The afternoon newspapers, commenting on Emperor William's approaching visit to England and the improved relations between Germany and Great Britain, voice the general opinion here, saying: "The latter is in a great part due to the vast change in the relations between the United States and Great Britain which preceded it and from which Germany has drawn the obvious deductions that legitimate colonial ambitions cannot possibly be fulfilled in the face of the hostility of the two English speaking peoples."

According to the St. James Gazette, with the establishment of good relations between London and Washington, it became necessary for Germany to stand on friendly terms with both. There has been, the paper proceeds, no unpaliated promises of future armed support, but the three countries have decided to live on civil terms for business reasons.

Smallpox on a Steamer.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN JUAN DE PORTO RICO, Nov. 13.—The Spanish steamer Buenos Ayres, which arrived here from Corunna and Cadiz with 600 steerage and 250 second cabin passengers for Cuba, and sixty passengers for Porto Rico, was found to have two cases of smallpox on board. The vessel and passengers have been placed in quarantine and are undergoing fumigation.

CONFESSED TO A FOUL CRIME.

A Connecticut Woman Murdered By a Chore Boy.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

STAMFORD, Conn., Nov. 13.—The inquest into the murder of Mrs. Sarah P. King is in progress today. Just before the opening of the proceedings, it was learned that Charles Cross, the 17-year-old chore boy who is under arrest on suspicion, had made a confession. According to Cross' statement, after Mrs. King had retired he entered her room and underbook to overpower her. She resisted forcibly, whereupon he hurled her to the floor and struck her head against the floor several times. She became unconscious and he lifted her body to the bed, immediately leaving the house to notify neighbors that the woman had been murdered.

INDIANS DEFY GAME LAW.

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DENVER, Colo., Nov. 13.—Game Warden Lee is organizing a posse to expel from Colorado several hundred Indians who are encamped at the headwater of Yellow Creek, between Picannee and Douglas creeks and are engaged in killing deer. The settlers are alarmed lest the Indians shall seek to avenge upon them the killing of several Indians by Game Warden Wilcox and a posse two years ago. Governor Thomas has called on the Sheriffs of five counties in northwestern Colorado to aid the Game Warden in enforcing the laws.

RIOT CASES ARE ON TRIAL.

Railroad Companies Ask Damages of Chicago.

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CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—The trials of what are known as the "riot cases" began before Judge Kohlsaat in the Federal Court today. These are the cases in which various railway companies ask for judgments against the city for damages to their property suffered during the railroad strike in 1894, on account of the alleged failure of police authorities to furnish adequate protection.

One of the cases, a minor case, has been taken to the Supreme Court of the State by the city on the plea that the State statute, holding the city liable for damages of this character, was unconstitutional. The Supreme Court, however, held the statute constitutional and decided the city must pay.

The present cases, accordingly, will turn simply on questions of fact, the city trying to show the companies have not suffered so much damage as they claim. The aggregate of these claims is nearly $5,000,000, and in the one tidal, brought by the Pennsylvania Company, the amount claimed is $300,000.

Chief of Police Kipley issued an order to all members of the police force who were on active service at the time of the strike to call at the Controller's office yesterday morning and give their testimony. Almost 200 patrolmen responded and turned in their testimony.

Friend of Goethe Dead.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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VIENNA, Nov. 13.—The Baroness Ulnicka-Levitzow, to whom Goethe dedicated his trilogy, is dead.

MURDERED BY ROBBERS

West Oakland Saloonman Shot By Pair of Masked Bandits.

About 10:45 o'clock last night John Thomas of the firm of Baptista & Thomas, saloon-keepers at the southwest corner of Pacific and Campbell streets, was brutally shot in his saloon by a pair of masked men, who, it is believed, were bent on robbery. One bullet entered the head, over the forehead, and plowed its way backward. The other bullet lodged in the right shoulder. A third bullet missed its mark and lodged in the wall of the saloon.

The assassins made their escape.

Thomas was taken to his home, 801 Campbell street, where he was attended by Drs. Stark and Blood. At an early hour this morning he was removed to the Receiving Hospital on the advice of the doctors, because it was thought that the wounded man could receive better attention there. No hopes were entertained of his recovery.

THE WITNESSES.

The only witnesses to the shooting were the men by whom it was done, the victim, and a man named Frank Perry, the last mentioned of whom is an employe of the California Sash and Door Company in West Oakland, and resides at 1776 Atlantic street. The attack caused Perry to lose consciousness, and for that reason he is able to give but an indifferent account of the outrage. It is believed also that Perry was under the influence of liquor at the time of the shooting, a circumstance which tends to make his story more or less unreliable.

The noise of the shots attracted the attention of people in the neighborhood, among them Thomas Joyce, who resides on the opposite side of the street. He rushed across to the saloon, found Thomas lying on his face at the threshhold of the saloon. He picked him up and placed him against the bar. He noticed Perry in a semi-unconscious condition, and then telephoned the police of the shooting. He also sent a messenger to Jackson's drug store on Seventh street, near Pine, and from there a message was sent to the doctors.

Doctors and police arrived in quick order. The patrol wagon was ordered to the scene immediately by Captain Peterson, and a few minutes later Chief Hodgkins was notified of the crime and repaired instantly to the scene.

The Chief issued orders to cut off all means of escape, and officers, as soon as they could be gathered together, scoured the yards of the Southern Pacific towards which they had been told the assassins had run, while others guarded the bridge at Alameda and the entrance to the broad and narrow gauge moles. The police in San Francisco were also notified of the affair, and several of them scrutinized the passengers on the ferry boats from this city up to the last run, but made no arrests. The description afforded them was not sufficient in detail to warrant the apprehension of any person.

PERRY'S STORY.

Meanwhile Perry had recovered consciousness after the effect of his libations and the terror which the burglars' shots inspired, and told his story as follows:

"I had been in the saloon a little while, and, thinking it about time to go home, went to the bar and called for a glass of beer. Thomas said, 'All right, Perry; I'll draw one for myself, too.' We drank our beer and started for the door, Thomas walking along toward the front behind the counter. Just as I pushed open the door I saw two tall men, with their faces covered with long black masks, just about to enter. I backed away and they entered the door abreast, each with a big revolver in his hand. They yelled, 'Hold up your hands,' and then shot two or three times and I fainted. When I came to I saw Joyce bracing Thomas up against the counter, and then they took him home."

It appears that Thomas did not throw up his hands quick enough.

HEARD THE SHOTS.

Joyce says he was preparing to go to bed when he heard the reports of the shots. He rushed to the front door of his residence and saw two men leave the saloon and run around the corner in the direction of the Southern Pacific yards. He then ran across the street and found Thomas lying as above indicated almost at the threshold of the shaloon. He picked the wounded man up and did what he could to relieve him until assistance arrived.

Thomas Montgomery of 759 Peralta street heard the shots and rushed to the scene. He says he saw none of the assassins, because they had disappeared when he reached the saloon. Perry appeared to be in a dazed condition from liquor and Thomas was unconscious and blood was flowing from his head and arm.

After Thomas had been moved to his home, the doctors removed a couple of pieces of bone from the wound on the head. They also probed the wound but failed to find the bullet. During the work of the surgeons, Thomas writhed with pain and struggled and fought with so much energy that the work of the surgeons had to be discontinued and the patient had to be taken to the Receiving Hospital.

SCENE OF TRAGEDY.

The entrance to the scene of the tragedy is on Pacific street. The bar is about 20 feet distant from the door and runs along from west to east. It is believed, because of the position in which Thomas was found, that he was proceeding toward the door of the saloon when he was confronted by the assassins. It is thought that they expected to find him alone and inside the bar. Instead they found him with company and outside the bar moving toward them.

An intimation has been conveyed that the shooting might have been done by personal enemies, but this is scouted by Thomas' partner, Manuel Baptista, who says that Thomas has no known enemy. Thomas has resided in that vicinty for years and has a reputation as a peaceable and a sober citizen.

The scene of the shooting is only three blocks away from the saloon of J. Coyne at 1609 Fifth street, who was held up a week ago last Saturday night.

AN ARREST.

Officer Murray arrested a young fellow named Scott, whom he caught running among the cars in the West Oakland yards. Scott refused to make any statement beyond the fact that he was seeking for a place to sleep.

No attempt was made to rob the till and Baptista says even if there had been a successful attempt of the kind, only a very small amount of money would have been obtained. Thomas is very low today.

THE SUSPECTS.

Chief Hodgkins says that he does not believe that any of the five suspects in prison had anything to do with the shooting. They will be discharged.

KENTUCKIANS ARE DESPERATE.

They Will Have a Fair Count or Blood Will Flow.

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BARBOURSVILLE, Ky., Nov. 13.—Over four thousand people from the rural districts congregated on the streets here today. Incensed at the reports that the vote of Knox county would be thrown out, and tired of waiting for the commissioners to certify the vote, they came to town to see that their liberties were protected, as they expressed it.

Mandatory injunctions have been filed on the commissioners to compel them to finish the count. Up to noon the commissioners had taken no action.

People are wrought up to the highest extreme, and trouble is feared.

A SLOW COUNT.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 13.—The counting of ballots was resumed this morning. It is likely to drag along well into the present week. In the city it is especially slow. There has been no change since Sunday in the estimates of pluralities by the two parties. Both still claim the election, the Republicans by 3,000, and the Democrats by what they style a "safe" plurality.

WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Brigadier General Ludlow, military Governor of Havana, who has been spoken of in connection with the civil governorship of Cuba, when such an office shall be established, was at the War Department today, and had a long conference with Secretary Root. The Secretary afterwards went with General Ludlow to the White House.

TRAIN FIREMAN CRUSHED.

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JEROME, Ariz., Nov. 13.—An incoming passenger train on the United Verde and Pacific Railroad was ditched eight miles north of here. The engine and two flat cars rolled from bridge No. 18 and crushed the fireman, David Bosa, beneath the engine. The other trainmen and passengers escaped uninjured. The road has the greatest curves and grades of any road in the United States, but this is the first accident that has ever happened on the road during its five years' of operation.

REVOLUTION IS ENDED.

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COLON, Colombia, Nov. 13.—It is said that the insurgents in the Department of Bolivar were defeated November 9th.

An armed revenue steamer left Cartagena November 11th with Bogoto mails, thus showing, it is claimed, that the revolution is ended.

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OUR WOMEN COME TO THE FRONT.

Men Have Failed and Now the Ladies Will Secure Library Site.

At a regular meeting of the Ebell Club held at Reed Hall last Friday, the subject of a library site was unexpectedly brought up. It was found that the ladies unanimously concurred in a protest against allowing any public square to be used for the site of a free public library building. So much interest and enthusiasm was shown, that a committee was appointed to see if something could not be done towards purchasing a site. Several sites were mentioned at that time, and a committee appointed to find out the price of these lots, and to see if it were not practicable to obtain popular subscriptions immediately to purchase such a lot, centrally located and acceptable to the Free Library Trustees.

A committee consisting of the following ladies were appointed: Mrs. Frederick B. Ginn, chairman; Dr. Myra Knox, Mrs. R. P. Gleason, Mrs. John Russ, Mrs. C. A. Buckel.

This committee held a meeting this morning, and reported that so much encouragement had been given them, and so much assurance of help that they felt obliged to hold the question open and to petition the Council to defer action in the matter of adopting any public square as a library site.

This committee has already secured the concurrence of the first citizen's committee named at the public meeting held at Reed's Hall, inasmuch as it has already volunteered to secure for the Ebell Committee the funds already subscribed amounting to $6,750. A prominent member of the citizens' committee has given his check for $100 to start the new subscription, and other subscriptions are offered.

The committee proposes to bond a suitable site for thirty days, and within that time to raise the money necessary to purchase the lot. Miss Maria Babson was appointed financial secretary and treasurer.

The committee thinks that every man, woman and child in the city of Oakland should be given an opportunity of ownership in the new library site. To give them this opportunity the following sub-committee has been appointed to solicit subscriptions: Miss M. F. Beston, Mrs. J. C. Campbell, Miss Mary Alexander, Miss M. R. Babson, Mrs. Allen H. Babcock, Mrs. Franklin Bangs, Mrs. T. L. Barker, Mrs. S. H. Benjamin, Mrs. A. W. Bishop, Mrs. S. C. Borland, Mrs. Arthur H. Breed, Mrs. Kate Buckley, Mrs. G. W. Bunnell, Mrs. M. E. Chadbourne, Mrs. W. A. Childs, Mrs. L. F. Cockroft, Mrs. T. O. Coogan, Mrs. C. E. Cotton, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. William R. Davis, Mrs. A. A. Denison, Mrs. Wallace Everson, Miss Julia Fraser, Mrs. W. H. Friend, Mrs. W. D Gelette, Mrs. D. W. Gelwicks, Mrs. Z. T. Gilpin, Mrs. Clark L. Goddard, Mrs. R. W. Gorrill, Mrs. E. M. Hall, Jr., Mrs. Fred W. Hall, Mrs. John C. Hays, Jr., Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mrs. E. M. Herrick, Miss Sarah W. Horton, Mrs. John L. Howard, Miss Jennie Huff, Mrs. James B. Hume, Miss Mary S. Keene, Mrs. C. H. King, Mrs. C. W. Kinsey, Mrs. E. H. Kittredge, Mrs. E. A. Kluegel, Miss Mary Lambert, Mrs. Paul Lohse, Mrs. J. O. Low, Mrs. Frances R. Musser, Mrs. Seth Mann, Mrs. Walter Manuel, Mrs. E. W. Marston, Mrs. Victor H. Metcalf, Miss E. A. Miner, Mrs. J. W. Musser, Mrs. G. L. Nusbaumer, Mrs. Emil Nusbaumer, Mrs. A. B. Nye, Mrs. Frank B. Ogden, Mrs. Warren Olney, Mrs. E. W. Owen, Mrs. W. G. Palmanteer, Mrs. George C. Pardee, Miss Etta B. Penniman, Mrs. G. W. Perry, Mrs. W. L. Phelan, Mrs. John W. Phillips, Mrs. H. B. Pinney, Mrs. W. I. Reed, Mrs. Charles T. Rodolph, Mrs. H. D. Rowe, Mrs. E. B. Sanborn, Mrs. August Schilling, Mrs. J. R. Scupham, Mrs. Prentiss Selby, Mrs. J. W. Shanklin, Mrs. H. B. Smith, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. H. C. Taft, Mrs. H. G. Thomas, Mrs. Daniel Titus, Mrs. H. O. Trowbridge, Mrs. Henry Wadsworth, Mrs. George E. Whitney, Mrs. F. E. Whitney, Mrs. John Yule, Mrs. J. G. Lemmon, Mrs. J. B. McChesney, Mrs. J. B. Richardson and Mrs. William Sherman.

ASK BIDS FOR THE FRANCHISE.

Standard Electric Company's Petition Before the Board of Supervisors.

At the meeting of the Supervisors this morning the question of granting a franchise to the Standard Electric Company for poles, wires, etc., in Alameda county, was brought up in a report of the Committee on Roads, Bridges, and Franchises, which offered an ordinance which was an amendment of the ordinance originally introduced. The only change made was in the substitution of five years for two years, as the time in which the franchise was to be forfeited in the event of its not being used by the company in the carrying on the construction of the lines or the furtherance of its business.

The Committee sent in two reports. The majority report favored the five-year limitation and was signed by Messrs. Wells and Mitchell.

The minority report was in favor of the two-year limit and was signed by Supervisor Roeth.

Mr. Church moved that the majority report be adopted.

Mr. Roeth offered an amendment to insert two years instead of five in the ordinance.

This motion was seconded by Supervisor Talcott. It was supported by that gentleman on the ground that the persons who had made application for the franchise had at first asked for only two years' limit and they were supposed to know what they were doing and they were anxious to have it framed in that way.

Mr. Mitchell said he did not consider the point well taken. The franchise asked for was not an exclusive one. Other electrical companies could come into and do business in the county. It did not, therefore, make any difference whether two years or five years were allowed. The company had asked for five years' leeway, and the Board had agreed to give it that time.

Mr. Talcott said that this was not the first time that franchises had been asked for and which, after having been granted, lay idle, nothing being done on them. The applicants for those franchises had made it appear that they needed the passage of the ordinance in order that they might get to work at once. As soon as the ordinance was granted the people who secured it had sat down and had not done a thing. He knew that the ordinance books contained many such measures, and when the Board undertook to eradicate them, attorneys were hired by the grantees to protect them. If the company in question was going to do anything at all, two years would be a sufficiently long period in which to enable the projectors to begin. If within that time the company showed good faith, then the Board of Supervisors could grant an extension of time.

Mr. Roeth said there was no doubt that two years was a sufficiently long period in which to have work begin. There was no question that the Supervisors would grant an extension of time, if at the expiration of that period good faith should be displayed on the part of the company and the work was still uncompleted.

Mr. Wells said that he had at first favored the two-year request, but after talking with Mr. Snook he had changed his mind. He had learned that the company might and might not be able to get into this county within that time. Mr. Snook had informed him that the company intended to come in here, but that the work was a big one, even though the company had already begun business in San Joaquin and Santa Clara counties. For these reasons he had agreed to vote for the insertion of five years instead of two years in the "non-user clause.

The vote on Mr. Roeth's amendment was as follows:

Ayes—Roeth, Talcott—2.

Nays—Church, Wells and Mitchell—3.

The amendment was lost.

The original motion for the substituting five years for two years was then unanimously adopted.

The resolution asking for bids for the electric franchise and the ordinance granting the same were then read.

The bids are called for December 18th at 2 o'clock P. M.

Southern Pacific Railway, was run over by a freight car this morning in the yards at River Station and his legs so badly crushed that amputation was necessary. Just how the unfortunate man got under the car is not known.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 13.—In the case of the East Tennessee, Virginia, and Georgia Railway vs. the Interstate Commerce Commission, the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, has affirmed the decision of Judge Sever, in the Circuit Court, involving the controversy between Chattanooga and Nashville under the long and short haul provision of the interstate commerce law. Charges were made against the Louisville and Nashville and other roads that there were discriminations in favor of Nashville on through Eastern freights, although that city was 150 miles farther from the Atlantic seaboard than Chattanooga. The decision is regarded as an important precedent on the short haul requirements.

SUPREME COURT DOINGS.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Chief Justice Fuller of the United States Supreme Court announced that the court would take a recess for a fortnight, beginning next Monday.

The Supreme Court today advanced the case of Knowlton vs. Moore to be held with the case of High vs. Coyne on the 4th of December next.

Both cases involve the constitutionality of the inheritance tax law. The Knowlton case originated in Brooklyn and the High case in Chicago.

STRIKE TIES UP CAR LINES

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SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 13.—The Springfield consolidated street car lines were tied up today by a strike. The trouble arose over the refusal of the company to recognize th newly organized union and reinstate discharged employes, alleged to have been let out for activity in organizing the union. A number of employes do not belong to the union, and were willing to run the cars, but there were not enough to man the entire service so the company suspended service today. No threats of trouble have been heard.

NITRO-GLYCERINE'S WORK

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FREMONT, Ohio, Nov. 13.—The explosion of a nitro-glycerine wagon at Gibsonburg, this county, blew the driver, Ben Card, into small bits. The team and wagon shared his fate. The shock was felt here and in other places. Serious damage is reported in several towns, but full details of the accident are lacking as yet.

BIG STRIKE IN BUFFALO.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 13.—In order to force a settlement in the dispute between the men engaged in construction work and their employes regarding wages, the Trades and Labor Council has ordered out all union men working on buildings in this city in which iron is being used. It is said that 4,000 men are affected.

EDGAR'S COURT SAID TO BE SAFE.

It was intimated in court this afternoon that Judge Edgar's court at Berkeley will be sustained.

Judge Hall late this afternoon declared the Berkeley Justice's Court a legal court.

Ceres Church Destroyed.

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MODESTO, Cal., Nov. 13.—The Baptist Church at Ceres, five miles south of Modesto, was totally destroyed by fire last evening, a short time before the time for services. A fire had been lighted in the furnace, and the janitor had gone away. Soon after the whole structure was in flames and nothing was saved. Loss, $7,000; no insurance.

The edifice was the only place of worship in Ceres.

Aftermath of Carter Case.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The case of the Atlantic Contracting Company against the Government for the recovery of sums alleged to be due on contracts entered into with them by former Engineer Oberlin M. Carter for improvements to the Savannah, Ga., harbor, now before the United States Court of Claims, was again postponed today until next Monday on the motion of the Attorney-General.

Los Angeles Police Muddle.

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LOS ANGELES, Nov. 13.—A. C. Day, real estate dealer, was appointed by the City Council to service on the new Police Board this morning. The Mayor still refuses to recognize the new Board, and the Council does not recognize the former Board, which it deposed. The matter will have to be settled in the courts.

Refuse to Pay Taxes.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MADRID, Nov. 13.—The manufactures of Palma Island of Majorca, at a meeting just held have resolved not to pay any taxes until final automonomy is granted to the Bularic islands.

London Discount Rises.

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LONDON, Nov. 13.—The rise of ½ in the rate of discount today was due to the disquieting New York bank statement issued Saturday, and the revival of apprehensions of the export of gold from Europe to New York.

Council Meeting.

The Council will meet as a Committee of the Whole this evening at 8 o'clock. At 9 o'clock an adjourned meeting will be held.

Dont Miss It.

The Edison stereo-projecting kinetoscope and phonograph now exhibited at 952 Broadway, near Ninth. Admission 10 cents. Afternoon and evening.

Progress Club.

The Progress Club of East Oakland will hold a meeting tonight and discuss "Money." The meeting will be held at 1266, Twenty-third avenue.

Talked on Dreams.

"Dreams" was the subject of the address given by Mrs. M. B. Smith at the Universal Brotherhood headquarters last evening.

Died Suddenly.

Mrs. Josephine Vincent, aged 71 years, died suddenly at her home, 511 Fourth street this afternoon. The Coroner will investigate.

Basket Ball.

A basket-ball game will be played this evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, between the Dolphins and Rough Riders.

Congressman Metcalf

Congressman Victor H. Metcalf will speak before the West Oakland Improvement Club tomorrow night.

DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED.

Modesto Woman Fatally Shot By Her Young Daughter.

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MODESTO, Cal., Nov. 13.—Mrs. Emma McCoy, wife of Frank McCoy, died this morning from the effects of a shot fired by her 12-year-old daughter late yesterday afternoon. The girl pointed a parlor rifle at her mother's head and said she was going to shoot, and the bullet went into the brain behind the left ear, ranging upward. The mother became unconscious and her brains oozed out of the wound. The rifle was believed to be unloaded, as the 15-year-old son had told his sister that he had taken out the cartridge, but the younger brother had replaced it to shoot at a pigeon, and left the cartridge in the weapon without telling them.

The family consists of a father, who is a laboring man, and six children, ranging from 14 months to 15 years. They are in straitened circumstances. The family has resided there but three weeks, having come from Soulsbyville, Tuolumne county, but their former home was at Castroville, where all of the children were born. The father had left the family but half an hour before the shooting, to go to a ranch where he is working on a plow team. The inquest will be held this afternoon.

FATAL FIGHT IN INDIANA.

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KOKOMA, Ind., Nov. 13.—In a fight between Oron Springer and Fred Smith and William Busby today, Springer was instantly killed and Busby was wounded in the shoulder. Springer and Smith were hunting and were ordered off Busby's farm. There is much indignation, and the Sheriff is apprehensive of trouble.

Southern Delegates Start.

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LOS ANGELES, Nov. 13.—Six delegates from Southern California to the Storage Water Convention in San Francisco, accompanied by Attorney Thomas E. Gibbon, left this morning for San Francisco.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.
Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Sleep Warm.
Buy your mattress from H. Schellhaas.

Sunset Wine Co.
(Successors to Landregan Bros.), 902 Broadway, Blake & Moffitt block, opens Wednesday, November 15th, with a fine line of wines and liquors. A perfect family liquor store. Free delivery. "Pop" Bemis, manager.

C. W. Kinsey Dealer in New Style Household Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc.
Modern furniture bought, exchanged or sold on installment payments. Cash discount given instead of "trading stamps." 462-464 Thirteenth street.

Married.

FEULING—WHITING—In Fruitvale, November 12, 1899, by the Rev. Maximilian Klein, Martin Feuling and Linda Whiting.

Died.

MARTIN—In this city, November 12, 1899, Emma L., beloved wife of Wm. H. Martin and mother of George and John Martin, a native of Beverly, Mass., aged 45 years, 3 months and 15 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services TOMORROW (Tuesday), November 14th, at 2 P. M., from the Union Street Presbyterian Church, between Eighth and Tenth streets, West Oakland. Interment, Mountain View Cemetery.

MARTIN—In this city, November 12, 1899, Emma H. Martin, a native of Massachusetts, aged 45 years, 3 months and 15 days.

P[illegible]KE—In this city, November 11, 1899, Lyman C. Parke, a native of Pontiac, Mich., aged 65 years.

MARSHALL—In this city, November 12, 1899, Ellen Marshall, a native of County Westmeath, Ireland, aged 37 years.

HABERLAN—In West Berkeley, November 11, 1899, Margaret T. Haberlan, a native of County Clare, Ireland.

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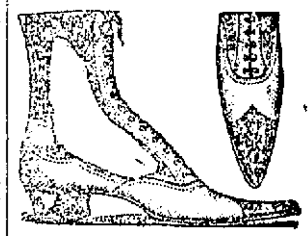
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APPLICATION FOR FRANCHISE.

Advertisement of the fact that The Standard Electric Company of California has applied for a franchise, and that the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California, proposes to grant the same.

In pursuance of a resolution and order of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California, duly made and passed on the thirteenth day of November, 1899, notice is hereby given that The Standard Electric Company of California, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California and having its office and principal place of business in the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, has made application to said Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California, for a franchise, privilege and permission for itself, its successors and assigns to erect, construct, maintain and operate along, across and over the roads, highways, public ways and streets of the county of Alameda, State of California, poles, masts and other superstructures upon and from which to suspend wires and other appliances for the transmitting and conducting of electric current for all purposes to which the same is or may be adapted and to lay and maintain wires or other conductors of electric current underground in such conduits and other ways as may be proper under any of the said roads, highways, public ways and streets of the said county of Alameda, State of California, for the period of fifty (50) years from and after the granting of such franchise, privilege or permission.

And that the said Board of Supervisors proposes to grant the franchise, privilege and permission to said The Standard Electric Company of California, provided it is the highest and best bidder therefor, otherwise to such person or corporation as shall be the highest and best bidder therefor.

That the character of the franchise or privilege proposed to be granted is as above stated, and the term of its continuance fifty (50) years from the date of the ordinance granting the same.

Notice is hereby further given that in pursuance to the said resolution and order written tenders will be received for said franchise or privilege by said Board of Supervisors on the eighteenth day of December, 1899, which said day has been fixed for the filing of said tenders, at or before the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

Notice is hereby further given that said Board reserves the right to reject any and all tenders for said franchise or privilege and that no tender will be entertained therefor which does not provide for the payment of the expenses of this advertisement whether the said franchise or privilege be granted or not, and for the publication of the ordinance granting the said franchise or privilege if the same be granted.

Notice is hereby further given that a copy of the ordinance by which said franchise or privilege is to be granted is now on file in the office of the County Clerk of the said county of Alameda, State of California, ex-officio Clerk of said Board, which may be seen upon application to said Clerk.

Dated November 13, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk of the county of Alameda, State of California, and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors thereof.
By F. H. Mason, Deputy Clerk.

DEMAND FEES FROM DALTON.

The Supervisors Want Money on Behalf of the County.

At the meeting of the Supervisors this morning the following resolution regarding the refunding by County Assessor Dalton of the profit made by him in making the city assessment roll was read:

"Whereas, It has come to the attention of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda that there has been paid to Henry P. Dalton, Assessor of said county, $1,931 for the preparation of the assessment rolls of the city of Oakland, under and in accordance with subdivision 7, section 160 of an act to establish a uniform system of county and township governments, approved April 1st, 1897, and section 3,663 of the Political Code of the State of California, and that said Assessor has paid no money to the county of Alameda on account of the money so received for the preparation of the said assessment rolls;

"Resolved, That the said Assessor is directed to pay to the county of Alameda the difference between the actual cost to him incurred in preparing said assessment rolls and the amount paid to him by the city of Oakland for the preparation of said assessment rolls;

"Resolved, That a copy of this resolution shall be served on said Assessor by the Clerk of this Board, and the same be a demand for the amount of money due by the said Assessor to the county herein."

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

NEW YORK HORSE SHOW.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The fifteenth annual horse show began in Madison Square Garden today with a good attendance.

The first two hours of the day were given over to the exercising of the horses. At 11 o'clock the first judging was done, when fifty-one hunters and jumpers of class 98 were inspected. The exercising brought out practically all of the "stars" in the show, and in the boxes were many representatives of fashionable society, who were on hand to get first glimpses of the horses. Among the entries that attracted favorable attention were H. C. Hoskier's team, Lord Brilliant and Lieutenant Weight. Richard Croker's Jumah, General Benjamin F. Tracy's Advertiser and Adrone, and a pair of trotters, West and B. C., entered by P. C. Knox of Pittsburg.

When the bugle sounded at 9 o'clock about twenty horses were brought into the ring for exercising.

Frederick Bronson and Colonel Lawrence Kip are the ring committee of the day, and William C. Whitney and George Peabody Wetmore for this evening.

Burglar Gets Ten Years.

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SACRAMENTO, Nov. 13.—Frank Smith, who was convicted of burglarizing the residence of John Blair in this city, was today sentenced to serve ten years' imprisonment at Folsom.

The Pereira Case.

The charge against Frank Pereira, who was arrested on Saturday for running a nickel-in-the-slot machine, came up this morning in the Police Court and was continued to November 15th to be set.

ESTATE LEFT BY EDWARD J. PRINGLE.

The estate of the late Edward J. Pringle has been appraised by Bernard Ransome, A. A. Moore Jr., and J. B. Lanktree at $76,303 30. The personal property and promissory note, cash and farming property was valued at $3,304.31. The real estate consists of 345.15 acres of land in Contra Costa County valued at $32,000; land in Ballinger Canyon valued at $12,000; land at East Nineteenth street and Seventh avenue valued at $25,000 and about five acres in the Domingo Peralta reserve valued at $3,000.

GROCERY CLERK ACCUSED OF LARCENY.

A. Ross, formerly a grocery clerk in the employ of A. Barbagelata, who conducts a grocery store at 1249 Broadway, has been arrested on a charge petit larceny.

It is alleged that Ross' peculations cover a period from last April to October 25th, the time of his discharge, and amount to over $400.

Ross claims to have collected only money enough to equal the wages due him. In the Police Court this morning his case was continued to November 14th to plead.

A short time ago Ross got out an attachment on the store for wages due him.

MINISTER ARRESTED FOR MISDEMEANOR.

Philip Kent who claims to be a minister in the Seventh Day Adventist denomination was arrested this morning on a warrant charging him with failing to provide for his minor children.

The warrant was sworn to by his former wife, Julia A. Kent. About a year ago she secured a divorce from her husband.

PIGEON CLUB WILL HOLD MEETING.

A meeting of the Pacific Pigeon Club will be held this evening, November 13th, at the rooms of the club, 1424 1-2 Park street, Alameda, and final arrangements will be made for their extensive exhibit at the Oakland Poultry Show. Such a large entry is promised that the club is to consider the matter of having more exhibition cages made as those they have will only accommodate about 300 birds.

MRS. RADCLIFFE GRANTED A DIVORCE.

Mrs. Joe Radcliffe, daughter of ex-Secretary of State W. S. Greene, was granted a divorce this morning by Judge Greene from Frank C. Radcliffe, on the ground of desertion. She was also awarded the custody of the two minor children, aged 13 and 11 years respectively. Radcliffe was ordered to pay $10 a month toward their support.

PROGRAM FOR ST. COLUMBA'S FAIR.

The fair at St. Columba's Church, Golden Gate, will open next Wednesday evening. The program will include vocal and instrumental music, remarks by the Rev. Father Whyte and an address by the Rev. Father Yorke.

The Library Site.

The total vote on the Library site, taken at the Free Library, is as follows: Lafayette square, 1,223; Lincoln square, 582; scattering, 51.

Pension Increased,

The pension of Walter M. Woodcock of this city has been increased from $6 to $8.

Carpets will be Higher

In view of the recent material advance in Carpet Wools, the better prices being paid for labor and the big demand for goods throughout the country, there is no prospect that present **low prices** *for Carpets can be long maintained.*

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DIED ON HIS WAY HOME.

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GUTHRIE, I. T., Nov. 13.—S. L. Overstreet, United States District Attorney for Oklahama, died suddenly this morning on a Santa Fe passenger train shortly before reaching Chicago. Mr. Overstreet was on his way to Franklin, Indiana, to attend a family reunion to celebrate the golden wedding of his parents.

A CONGRESSMAN'S BROTHER.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 13.—S. L. Overstreet, who died on a train near Joliet, Illinois, was a brother of Congressman Joseph Overstreet, of the Seventh District. The family reunion which Mr. Overstreet was on his way to attend was to have occurred at Franklin next Friday.

HOW OVERSTREET DIED.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—S. L. Overstreet, United States District Attorney for Oklahoma, who was found dead in the sleeper of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe train near Joliet, Ills., this morning, was en route from Guthrie to Chicago. According to the Pullman conductor, Mr. Overstreet complained considerably of pains in his stomach and retired early to bed. About 8 o'clock this morning, shortly before the train arrived at Joliet, the porter of the Pullman cars went to Mr. Overstreet's berth to arouse him and found him dead. Mr. Overstreet was traveling alone.

BICYCLE RECORD BROKEN

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JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Nov. 13.—Bobby Walthour of Atlanta broke the world's professional paced bicycle record for five, ten and fifteen miles here, finishing the first five in 9:06, two seconds ahead of Eaton, who contested him. He made the second five miles in 8:07 3-5, or 17:13 3-5 for ten miles. He covered the fifteen miles in 26:15 2-5.

COL. HENRY INMAN DEAD

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TOPEKA, Kas., Nov. 13.—Colonel Henry Inman, author and ex-plainsman, associate of William F. Cody ("Buffalo Bill") died here, aged 62.

CAPTAIN ROBERTS EXTENDS OPTION.

Captain Roberts this afternoon extended the city's option on his wells at Alvarado ninety days from November 7th.

Died of His Injuries.

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BALTIMORE, Nov. 13.—Dr. James M. Morrison, the aged physician who was robbed and beaten by two men at his home on the evening of November 2d, died of his injuries today. The thieves got nearly $100 in money and valuables. John Schmelzing, who took Dr. Morrison home from a near-by resort on the evening of the robbery, has been arrested, but is out on bail.

Dr. Morrison served with distinction during the civil war in the Seventh and Twenty-eighth Pennsylvania regiments, and joined the regular army as surgeon at the close of the rebellion.

John Hays Hammond Coming.

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LONDON, Nov. 13.—The White Star line steamer Teutonic, which sails from Liverpool November 15th, will have among her passengers John Hays Hammond, the American engineer, who was condemned to death by the Transvaal Republic for participation in the outlander conspiracy, which culminated in the Jameson raid.

Killed By the Train.

Ah Wah, a Chinese employed at the Judson Powder Works, was struck by the incoming Oregon express at Fleming station, near Berkeley, on Saturday night and instantly killed. He was walking between the rails and did not notice the approaching train, and was not seen by the engineer until too late to bring the train to a standstill.

Ah Wah was about 25 years of age.

Chinese Port Opened.

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PEKING, Nov. 13.—Yo Chou Fu, at the entrance of Tonting lake, was formally opened to foreign trade today. This is the first port open in the anti-foreign province of Hunanm.

New Orleans at Port Said.

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PORT SAID, Egypt, Nov. 13.—The United States cruiser New Orleans, from New York October 23d, has arrived here on her way to the Philippine islands.

RACES AT TANFORAN.

Tanforan Track, San Mateo, Nov. 13.—The first race today resulted as follows:

Giro first at 2 to 1.

Burdoc second at 8 to 5.

Aborigine third at 7 to 1.

The result of the second race was as follows:

Silver State first at 3 to 1.

Coda second at 4 to 1.

Ricardo third at 6 to 1.

VETERANS AND PENSIONS.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The Committee on Pension Legislation appointed at the recent encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at Philadelphia, called at the White House today and presented to the President a report adopted at the encampment asking for a modification of certain matters relative to the pensions.

The report asks the President, if he deems it within his authority to do so, to issue an executive order to the effect that in determining the pensionable status of a soldier, and of fixing his rate of pension, the several disabilities which he may have sustained shall be grouped and taken into consideration. The report further asks the President to direct that the practice of refusing pensions to widows of soldiers who have incomes of $96 a year or more be discontinued, and that the limit of income in such cases shall be raised to $250 a year.

The committee was with the President for more than an hour and a half. The committee stated that Mr. Evans, the Commissioner of Pensions, was heartily in accord with the suggestions, he maintaining, however, that the remedy lay entirely with Congress as in his judgment the existing pension laws did not warrant such construction. The President listened with great attention to all the commission had to say, and in conclusion assured them that their remarks would have the fullest consideration.

QUARREL OVER FATHER'S ESTATE.

Mrs. Jessie M. Shown appeared with her attorney before Judge Hall this morning to contest the application of her brother, Charles W. Stilwell, for letters of guardianship on their father, George W. Stilwell.

The application was made on the ground that the father was so ill as to be incompetent to manage his estate. The bulk of his property consists of about $17,000 in bank.

The sister maintains that the estate is in the same condition that it has been in during the last year, and that a guardian is not necessary. Dr. Rucker, the family physician, testified that his patient was very low and might not live another week.

Chilean Claims Treaty.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The United States Minister at Santiago de Chile has informed the State Department by cable that the Chilean Legislature has ratified the treaty providing for a renewal of the Chilean claims commission. However, the Chilean government amended the treaty at two points. The amendments themselves are not important, but they will require the treaty to be returned to the United States and its resubmission to the United States Senate for ratification.

Ex-Soldier's Suicide.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 13.—Barney Goodwin, who served with Battery D in the Philippines and who has lived with his parents since his return at 707 West Sixth street died yesterday from the effects of an overdose of laudanum taken with suicidal intent. Goodwin has been in poor health since his return and thought he had consumption. He was very despondent and often threatened to end his life. An inquest will be held this afternoon, the jury returning a verdict in accordance with the above facts.

Grand Jury Investigates.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LANSING, Mich., Nov. 13.—A grand jury has been called by Judge Pierson to investigate. It is alleged, matters in connection with the passage of the McLeod bill by the Legislature last winter. The McLeod bill gave the city of Detroit authority to purchase and operate its street railways and was rushed through the Legislature and signed by Governor Pingree, notwithstanding a strong protest made by leading citizens of Detroit. The bill was afterwards declared unconstitutional by the State Supreme Court.

Switchman Loses His Legs

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 13.—John S. Roberts, a switchman in the employ of the Southern Pacific Railway, was run over by a freight car this morning in the yards at River Station and his legs so badly crushed that amputation was necessary. Just how the unfortunate man got under the car is not known.

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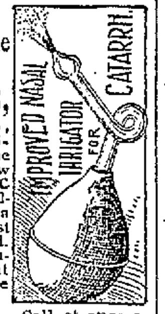

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ALAMEDA COUNTY NEWS

MANY TOWNS ARE REPRESENTED

FIGHTING THE SALOON MEN.

Hard Battle to Close Places in Berkeley.

BERKELEY, Nov. 13.—Four more cases of alleged violation of the liquor ordinance will be tried tomorrow. The arrests were made Saturday morning on warrants sworn to by Thomas D. Wirttall, who was also complainant in the eleven cases which are now on appeal to the Superior Court.

The four men arrested are: H. Peters, J. J. Lestrange, A. W. Blomberg and Fred W. Munday, all of whom have previously been found guilty of the same offense by the lower court and have their cases on appeal.

The repeated arrests to which the saloon men are being subject by their continued violation of the liquor ordinance, will work a heavy hardship upon them should the Superior Court uphold the decision of the lower body.

THE CHURCHES.

Rev. Rabbi Voorsanger occupied the pulpit of the First Unitarian Church yesterday morning.

Rev. B. F. Sargent of the North Berkeley Congregational Church preached yesterday morning on "Elements of Growth." In the evening he preached a sermon for students.

Rev. L. M. Burwell of Palo Alto occupied the pulpit of the Trinity Methodist Church Sunday evening.

The Town Trustees will meet tonight. The meeting will probably be made as short as possible, owing to the condition of the Hall, which has just been newly plastered and is in a very damp condition.

The Choral Society which met with such success last year is about to reorganize. A meeting was held last Friday evening, and the following officers elected: J. C. Wilder, president; Mrs. J. M. Pierce, vice-president; W. W. Kaye, secretary and treasurer.

The members of the executive committee are: J. C. Arnold, Mrs. Dr. Payne, and the officers of the organization.

Frederick H. Clark, under whose direction the society proved so successful last year, was re-elected director.

COMMERCIAL SCHOOL MOVED.

The Commercial School opened up this morning in its new quarters in Golden Sheaf Hall. The school has formerly been conducted in Shattuck Hall, but the constant and distracting noise caused by the passing trains determined Principal Atherton, who is in charge of that department, to move.

Permission to move the school to Golden Sheaf Hall, which is located on Addison street some distance from the railroad tracks and in a quiet neighborhood was granted by the School Trustees at their meeting last Tuesday evening. On Saturday the move was made, and this morning school opened in the new quarters.

A FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Buchanan, who died early Saturday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. I. W. Brickenbacker of 1918 Francisco street, took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Salvation Army Hall. The services were conducted by the members of that body. The interment took place in Mountain View Cemetery.

The death of Mrs. Haderlin occurred Saturday afternoon at her home, 1410 Fifth street. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock in St. Joseph's Church.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Elde and family left last night for Bergen, Norway, where they go to join Mr. Elde, who is in charge of the Surveyor-General's office at that point.

E. C. Worden has gone to Honolulu.

Miss Agnes Duff will leave tomorrow for a three-months' visit in New York.

Alfred Pomeroy of Wyoming has purchased property on Durant avenue and will reside in Berkeley in the future.

ALDEN.

ALDEN, Nov. 13.—Rev. J. R. Knodell, assistant superintendent of the State Anti-Saloon League, preached in the Presbyterian Church yesterday evening. He told of the work being done by the League.

READING-ROOM.

The magazines for the new reading-room are beginning to arrive. Many of the boys of the neighborhood who would have otherwise been on the street, enjoyed the warmth and comfort of the new quarters Sunday evening.

NEW FEED STORE.

W. B. Thomas will open a coal and feed store on Forty-ninth street in the near future. He will occupy a new building which is being erected on the north side of Forty-ninth street, near Telegraph avenue.

PERSONALS.

Anthony Dozier is visiting his parents at their home on Telegraph avenue near Morgan street.

Bert Brown and family of Leesburg, Idaho, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

CENTERVILLE.

CENTERVILLE, Nov. 13.—The winter meeting of Mizpah C. E. Union will be held at Centerville next Friday evening November 17. The program arranged for the occasion is as follows:

7.30—Song service, led by S. M. McCullough.

7.45—Scripture and prayer, Rev. E. P. Shier.

8—Business session; reports from societies, offertory, etc.

8.15—A Forward Movement in Our Own Society: (a) What New Undertakings; (b) How to Better the Committee Work, Miss Lowry; (c) How to Improve the Prayer Meetings, R. J. Walters.

8.30—Song.

8.35—Forward Movement in the Union—an open parliament, opened with 5-minute papers by Justus Overacker and A. D. Curtner. Discussion.

9—Address: Missions, Dr. A. P. Peck of North China.

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TWO BIDS FOR LIGHTING.

Livermore Trustees Take Action in the Matter.

LIVERMORE, Nov. 13.—The two bids to light the town of Livermore are as follows:

Office Livermore Gas Light Company, Livermore, Cal., Nov. 6, 1899.

To the Honorable Board of Town Trustees—Gentlemen: Attached to this please find my check for $1,000, certified by the Savings Bank of Santa Rosa, according to your call for proposals for lighting the streets and also the public buildings of same.

I hereby submit in the following my bid and distinctly state herewith that if your Hon. Board desires to bind me for a longer term of contract, say two, three or five years, all will be satisfactory to me, and such a contract I would gladly enter into.

I hereby offer to light the town of Livermore with fifteen or more direct current series arc lamps of 2,000-candle power, according to your specifications for the sum of $6.25 per lamp per month.

I also offer to light the town of Livermore with fifteen or more 7½ ampere enclosed arc alternating lamps as per enclosed letter of the General Electric Co., with circular, for the sum of $6.85 per lamp per month. These lamps are used in St. Louis and Boston; also the ferry depot in San Francisco is lighted with them and the lamps being installed now under the new rule in San Francisco streets are of the same make.

I further offer to light the streets of Livermore with seventy-five or more incandescent electric lights of 24-candle power, for the sum of $.97 per light per month.

These lights shall be arranged on a bracket, either suspended over the sidewalk or street on the poles in the same manner as in the city of Alameda.

I further offer to light the streets of Livermore with gas and incandescent gas lights of 60-candle power—75 or more in number—at the rate of $1.20 per light per month.

I further offer to supply public buildings with gas at the rate of $2.50 per 1,000 cubic feet and, provided I am the successful bidder for the street lighting, I offer to supply electric current to same public buildings at the rate of 15 cents per 1,000 watts; otherwise I cannot enter into contract for the lighting by electricity for the public buildings.

Hoping to be the successful bidder in securing your contract, I am, very truly, yours, P. MEYER.

The Livermore Water and Power Co.'s bill as submitted, was as follows:

"Office Livermore Water and Power Co., "Oakland, Cal., November 6, 1899.

"To the Honorable Board of Town Trustees of Livermore—Gentlemen: We will supply lights for the town of Livermore in accordance with resolution, No. 5, adopted October 17, 1899, by the Board of Town Trustees of the town of Livermore, at the following prices, to wit:

"Street lighting—Not less than 15 2,000-candle power arc lamps at $10 per month. Not less than 75 32-candle power incandescent lamps at $2 per month. Not less than 75 24 or 25 candle power incandescent lamps at $1.75 per month.

"Town Hall, Jail, etc.—At meter rates, 20 cents per thousand watts.

"And we hand herewith a check of this company for $1,000, duly certified as required by your specifications.

"LIVERMORE WATER AND POWER "CO.,

"By Walter C. Beattie, President, "E. W. Dulsenberg, Secretary."

After due deliberation the Board accepted the Gas Light Company's bid of fifteen direct current arc lights at $6.85 each, and will make a contract for one year. On motion of Trustee Murphy, duly seconded and carried, Secretary Dulsenberg of the Livermore Water and Power Co. was instructed to discontinue the present service.—Herald.

BIG ROBBERY

The heaviest robbery ever perpetrated in Murray Township as far as weight is concerned took place at an early hour Saturday morning. The Livermore Water and Power Company, being dissatisfied with the work done by their electricians, sent new men here to displace them. Two of the old employes, not liking the new arrangement, thought to play even. They hired a three-seated wagon from Feidler's livery stable on Friday night, and after midnight drove it in the back yard of the company's plant, where they loaded up about a ton of material, such as copper wire, brackets, boxes of porcelain knobs, lag screws and a lot of miscellaneous electrical supplies. About 6 o'clock they drove to Pleasanton with their load and shipped the goods to San Francisco. In a short time the men were found to be missing from town, and the new electrician, on looking for a certain tool which he could not find, discovered the loss of the goods. The telephone was at once put in use, and the missing articles discovered in the depot at Pleasanton. Superintendent Bernal at once drove down, secured the goods and one of the men, but on their return to Livermore Mr. Dirvee telephoned not to prosecute them if the goods were returned and the men would leave town. They skipped off on the 5 o'clock train and the matter is settled.

The total weights of outgoing mail from the Livermore postoffice for thirty days ending November 6th was 3,440 pounds. This does not include the mail to Tesla.

BITTEN BY TARANTULA.

Ed Armstrong was bitten on the leg by a huge tarantula at his farm on Thursday last. He at once lanced the wound with a pocket knife, causing it to bleed profusely. His brother, who was with him at the time, applied his mouth to the wound, drawing the poison out. Physicians were at once called, and although the limb is badly swollen, Mr. Armstrong is in no danger.

Madam Jarley's wax figures will be among the attractions at the Farmers' Union Theater next Saturday evening at the entertainment given by the ladies' guild of the Presbyterian Church. A fine hot supper will be given, and "punkin" pies such as your mother used to make will be served in abundance on both Friday and Saturday from 5 to 7 P. M.

Miss Myrtle Harp gave a tea to her musical class at her residence on Lizzie street Saturday afternoon. About twenty-five young ladies were present.

The Livermore Water and Power Company have stopped work on their tunnel at Cedar Mountain, after having run in 750 feet.

John Kieley and wife have returned from their bridal trip and will now settle on a farm near Altamont.

D. A. Mendenhall was visiting his Livermore friends on Saturday.

The heavy rainfall of the past few days has played sad havoc with the unbaled hay now in the fields. In a great many instances green grass is sprouting from the top of the stacks. Several thousand tons of hay are practically ruined, involving heavy losses to the farmers.

Shipments of hay to the San Francisco market have ceased for a few days on account of the stormy weather.

Rev. John Naille of Trappe, Pa., is the oldest clergyman in active service in this country. He was born on February 18, 1801, and still preaches in the German Reformed Church in his town, where he has been pastor for over sixty years.

SOCIAL NEWS FROM NILES.

Many Interesting Events in Washington Township.

NILES, Nov. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. Ismert of Irvington celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary last week Wednesday evening. Cards and music followed congratulations, and at midnight a banquet was enjoyed. Mrs. Brewer and Miss Emily Ross, two of the older ladies present, executed a waltz, to the merriment of all. Miss Ross is a descendant of the Ross family who made the first flag, and is a general favorite with old and young.

E. B. Thompson, with a few happy and congratulatory remarks, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Ismert, on behalf of the company, a beautiful white leather, satin-lined case, containing a dozen solid silver teaspoons, a dozen forks and a solid silver strainer. Among other gifts presented were: Silver cake stand, Mr. and Mrs. Koster, San Francisco; half dozen teaspoons, Mrs. Hirsch of Irvington; silver sugar shell, Master Willie Ismert; salad fork and other useful gifts, by the family.

There were about fifty present, and all left wishing the host and hostess many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. J. F. Smith of Mowry's Landing entertained a number of friends Saturday evening in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert's 50th wedding anniversary. Cards and music made the hours pass swiftly until midnight, when a sumptuous repast was served. The guests were the relatives in the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Martenstein of Niles celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Saturday evening with a family gathering and dinner. The oldest son, Clarence, and Joseph Tyson with his family, were the only ones absent. The couple were married November 5, 1874, by Rev. C. M. Parks of Centerville, at the Tyson home, and have resided here most of the time since.

The Niles Whist Club was organized Wednesday evening at H. A. Mayhew's with twenty-four members. H. J. Tilden was selected president, Harry Mosher secretary and scorer, Mrs. H. A. Mayhew treasurer. Duplicate whist will be played every Thursday evening during the winter. Mrs. Thomas Bedard entertains next week.

The Neighborhood Whist Club was organized last evening with sixteen members at J. E. Jacobus' home. All the members reside in the immediate vicinity. J. E. Jacobus was elected president and Miss Edna Hammer secretary. It will meet Wednesday nights.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CENSUS.

The Sunday School census for the Niles school district developed the fact that there are 178 houses occupied by 744 people in the territory. Of this number 380 are of the Catholic faith, 311 Protestant, and 47 others representing Chinese, Japanese, Jews, etc. There are 269 children under 18 years of age, 56 of whom attend the Catholic and 70 the Congregational Sunday School. About 14 adults attend the latter also.—Herald.

MT. EDEN.

MT. EDEN, Nov. 13.—A crowd of wandering Gypsies strolled into town the other day. They had two performing bears and a monkey.

License Collector Ramage was in town on official business.

The Mt. Eden postoffice has been changed across the street to Joseph Herrsher's store. The present postmistress, Mrs. Maria Crocker, has had the office fitted up elaborately with new lock boxes, a clock showing time and date, and etc., will also add a barometer and chronometer for the use of the public.

Farmers in this vicinity commenced to plough but had to stop on account of the rain.

Attorney Langan of Haywards was in town Friday.

Mr. Simons in company of Mr. Friedlander of Haywards were duck shooting Friday evening at the Haywards Gun Club preserves.

Look out for the Peacherinos, Thanksgiving is coming. Let your stock get lean and your chicken roost high for they will be after them.

The beautiful album raffled at Herrscher's store was won by our Haywards neighbor, George Hauschildt.

Roadmaster Hoare of Castro Valley district, was the guest of Henry Gansberger, Roadmaster of this district on Thursday inspecting the fine piece of work that was done by the E. B. and A. L. Stone Company on the county road. Mr. Toffelmeir, book-keeper for the firm was also present.

Gravel is being hauled on the Cemetery road. A contract has been let to gravel in the street in front of Peterman's and Herrscher's store.

SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, Nov. 13.—The entertainment and dance which was to be given by the Daughters of Rebekah was postponed one week. It will be held next Thursday evening, November 18th.

As many who had been invited to the dance did not hear of its postponement, there was quite a gathering at the hall last Thursday evening.

A DEATH.

Miss Rose Rogers, a sister of Mrs. A. Rogers of Dutton street, died Saturday morning after a lingering illness.

NOTES.

J. Hatze of San Francisco has rented the Hawes cottage on Joaquin avenue.

J. Pereira has recently purchased considerable business property in Crockett, Contra Costa county.

LORIN.

LORIN, Nov. 13.—Rev. Wilber of the Congregational Theological Seminary occupied the pulpit of the Park Congregational Church Sunday.

A DANCE.

The Good Samaritans gave a dance Saturday evening in Lorin Hall. A large crowd was in attendance and dancing was continued until a late hour.

FRUITVALE.

FRUITVALE, Nov. 13.—Many people in this district are desirous of getting a local library. It would be, it is thought, a great advantage to the young people of the district, and would be of great value in furnishing the school children with good reading.

P. H. Blake, who is heartily in favor of the move, has offered to furnish 100 volumes as a nucleus for the library as soon as a building is obtained. Many others are also willing to contribute books, and if started the library will undoubtedly be a success.

ODD FELLOWS.

The local lodge of Odd Fellows will have an initiation at the regular meeting tomorrow night.

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IRVINGTON.

IRVINGTON, Nov 13.—"We the undersigned agree to pay the sums set opposite our names for the purpose of establishing and aiding to be established, a military school for boys on the Curtner Seminary site. The sums set opposite our names to be used in the construction of a new building, and remodelling the buildings now standing on the Seminary grounds, and all amounts to be due and payable as soon as lumber for the said improvements is on the ground, and the improvement work actually begun."

Below will be found the list of subscriptions, made up to this Thursday morning:

O. N. Hirsch & Company, $200; R. B. Crowell, $100; J. H. Dunham, $100; E. S. Weston, $100; H. C. Ingram, $100; C. F. Horner, $100; H. Curtner, $100; L. E. Osgood, $100; J. Durham, $50; J. H. McCollough, Jr., $50 Dr. J. Walshe, $50; Ed. Roderick, $50; G. M. Elaton, $50; A. B. Montross, $50; Marbin Carter, $50; S. M. McCollough, $35; J. A. Crosby, $25; C. H. Sage, $25; C. F. Petersen, $25; W. Treouth, $25; Washington Press, $25; E. S. Haight, $20; H. L. Chase, $20; Mrs. Mack, $20; Dr. James G. Nellis, $10; Samborn, Vail & Company, $10; C. C. Chase, $10; T. D. Witherly, $10; W. H. Jackson, $10; H. L. Chase, $10; M. A. Cull, $5.

Subscriptions through O. N. Hirsch & Company—Levi, Strauss & Company, $25; Schweitzer & Company, $25; R. H. Magill, $10; Miller, Schloss & Scott, $10; Joseph Shinn, $10; Hellar, Bachman & Company, $5; Roth, Blum & Company, $5; Sperry Flour Company, $5; Mack & Company, $5; Anglo American Crockery Company, $5; The Harry Unna Company, $5; L. Dinkelspiel & Sons, $5; Hills Brothers, $5; Getz Brothers & Company, $1.

HAYWARDS.

HAYWARDS, Nov. 13.—Palma Circle, Women of Woodcraft, gave an entertainment last Thursday evening in their lodge room. One of the features of the evening was a prize cakewalk in which the following couples took part: Miss Emma Strobridge and George Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert, Miss Alma Hamilton and R. Reid and Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Graham.

Miss Emma Strobridge and George Gray were awarded the cake.

A SOCIAL.

The bazaar which will be held by the ladies of the Congregational Church on Thursday, November 23d, will be followed by a chimney social to be given in the church on Friday evening. An amusing feature of the social will be the reasons given by fourteen of the best known young people for remaining in single blessedness.

BIG SHIPMENT.

Hunt Brothers shipped eight carloads of canned goods Friday evening. The entire lot goes East and will there be distributed in carload lots to various points.

NOTES.

The baseball game which was announced for Sunday had to be postponed on account of the weather.

The building next to Nissen's grocery store on Castro street is being fitted up as a barber shop and saloon. M. F. Silva and F. H. Goularte will be the proprietors.

Fred Mohr went duck hunting last week and brought in twenty-one birds.

The auction sale of horses which was to have been held on Saturday was postponed until next Wednesday on account of the rain.

Miss Reena Fish was a guest at the home of her uncle, C. E. Fish, last week.

Mrs. J. G. Cooper is visiting friends in the southern part of the State.

GOLDEN GATE.

GOLDEN GATE, Nov. 13.—Every effort is being made to make the fair, which will be opened next Wednesday evening in Klinkner's Hall a success. Father Yorke has promised to be present and help at the opening of the fair.

One of the special features of the fair will be a raffle for a large doll which is now on exhibition in one of the windows of the Golden Gate drug store.

The doll is an expensive one, exquisitely clothed, and wears a hat which alone cost $10. The sale of chances for the doll will probably be very large.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB.

The meeting of the Improvement Club last Thursday evening was postponed on account of the weather. The club is making a strong effort to have sidewalks laid on portions of San Pablo avenue.

PERSONAL.

Miss H. Reader of Martinez is the guest of Miss S. A. Young of this place.

LETTER LIST

Adams, M A	Addison, Mrs Jennie E
Ahern, Mrs P (2)	Alderson, Miss Mabel
Ainsworth, H B	Allen, James H
Allendorf, Mrs	Anderson, Miss Florence
Aldrich, Will	Anderson, Eric
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Anderson, Robert	
Archibald, Mrs F A	
Astorg Springs Co	
Baird, Mrs R D	Bayly, F E
Bailey, W	Baldwin, Mary
Banard, Mrs B	Bamler, Eddie (2)
Bassett, Mrs M A	Beecher, Dr J
Beach, Mrs Henry	Bently, Mrs Mary Levy
Bennett, Mrs S A	Berggres, Oscar P
Bell, D E	Booth, Ed
Bigham, Miss Mary	Bouguet, Mrs A
Bort, Mrs Lydia	Brادley, Henry
Bragg, Frank	Brown, B W
Brown, W J	Burnham, Mrs E
Bruce, Mrs H J	
Bush, Mrs Pearl	
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Camlong, Jean	Cannon, Miss Mabel
Capelise, J	Carpenter, Mrs C W
Casey, Jno K	Clark, W
Cook, Mrs C E	Conrad, John
Colli, F	Cooper, Mrs H S
Coon, W J	Cotterman, Mrs C M
Cox, Miss D B	Creary, Miss Catharine
Cullen, M J	
Dana, Mrs	Davis, Mrs Chas
Davis, Miss Maud	Den Nortie, E U (3)
Dell, Miss Elsie	De Nelles, Miss Mary Robles
Dennen, Beart	Derby, F W
De Palster, Miss Lauretta	Dewing, Flora L
Douglas & Childs	Drennen, K J
Dunkirk & Dallmer	Duncan, Mrs W
Dyer, T V	
Edmondson, C T	Eisfelder, Leo
Estell, W G	
Fadie, F	Field, Mrs R F
Fleming, Mrs J	Flint, E B
Fox & Co	Fox, Mrs
Fuller, Charles	
Gallagher, Miss Anna B	Gibson & McDonald
Golden Coffee and Cracker Co	Gill, Mrs William
Gordon, G S	Goodman, Mrs L M
Gorham, Mrs H	Gordan, Geo
Gould, R A	Gorham, Miss Florence
Gould, R (2)	Gould, Robt A
Grasser, Mrs E	Gould, Robert
Griswold, W	Griffin, Mrs Susie
Haight, G W	Guinn, Miss Eliamor
Hammer, K	Hall, J Z
Harding, M A	Hanna, Hugh
Harris, Mrs Katherin	Harmon, Miss Ella
Henderson, Miss Florence	Harrison, Thomas
Herold, Mr and Mrs T H	Hay, Mrs G C
Hill, Mrs Chas V	Heron, Master Frankie
Hinman, Mrs Nettie	Hewes, David
Hubbard, Mrs Ella G	Hiccock, Mrs
Hunter, Miles	Hinkle, Mrs G T
Hunter, W	Hoagland, Wm (2)
Irvine, Miss Nan	Howe, Miss Dolly
Janson, Gust	Hurst, A G
Jansen, Hans	Hunt, A G
Johnson, F L	Hutchinson, J S and Miss
Jones, Wm	Johnson & Danielson
Jordan, George	
Kavanagh, Miss M	James, Mrs D
Kilgore, T A	Keating, Miss L A
Kohler, Mrs J	King, Charles
Kroemer, Geo	Kohler, Al
La Forge, Mrs E	Kroger, Miss Anna
Lawrey, Mrs Elizabeth	Lautland, D R
Loughlin, Timothy W	Lindermann & Co.
Lovell, Mrs Lizzie	Loolbourow, Mrs G T
Lutz, E	Lowell, Mrs Frank N
Lynch, Mr	Lyon, Miss Carrie A
Madut, Mrs	Maloney, D
Manning, Miss Agnes M	Maley, Miss M
Marion, W H	Marshall, J S
Mason, Mr and Mrs Frederick E	Massengale, Mrs (2)
McCaw, Miss Maggie	McAlmond, Miss B
McKelvey, Lee	McArthur, Miss Janette
Meade, Mrs	McCreary, T H
Merrill, Mrs Alice	McMurray, Kip
Milcovitch, Stella	Messplay, Myrt
Mohler, J	Michel, V
Moors, H	Miller, Mrs K G
Morton, H L	Moffatt, Mrs A
Marzano, Angela	Montgomery, R C
Morse, Mrs Frederick	Morrow, Will
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"Look out dah, niggah!"

"Fade you!"

"Take my gal to Cairo!"

A hundred and one such expressions are heard wherever craps—the inborn game of the Southern negro—is played. The game is played in this city by newsboys and bootblacks, but it lacks the picturesque quality which develops the real darky sport. In the early spring, when the scent of the magnolia and jessamine bring token of the approach of warm weather, the natural lassitude—laziness, in polite parlance—steals over the Southern negro. "The missus" may call and ring again and again, but Eph and Ben and Ebenezer are far from the call of household duties. In a back alley or vacant lot they squat upon the ground, eyes sparkling and mouths wide open with excitement.

The dice—the negroes call them bones—are tossed upon the ground, and each player in turn picks them up and carefully scrutinizes them. This is done to prevent any one from "ringing in peetles." "Peetles" are dice with double numbers, and they are of two kinds—those with which it is impossible to throw seven, and others with which nothing else can be thrown.

Eph, having satisfied himself as to the "bones," tosses a nickle on the ground. The penny is not generally used in the South, and the crap stake is usually 5 cents.

"Fade me, niggah!" he exclaims. Another player's coin falls into the ring, and he is "faded." The player blows into his hands, picks up the dice, juggles them in the hollow of his hand, and rolls them on the ground, snapping his fingers as the dice falls, and uttering an expression similar to the ones at the head of this article. The players are superstitious to a high degree—the words are charms to bring luck. If the "shooter" throws seven or eleven he wins, but if he numbers figure two, three or twelve he "craps out"—that is, loses, and the next man has his turn. If he throws four, five, six, eight, nine or ten, the number thrown is called his point, and he continues to throw until he either wins or loses.

If a player's suspicions are aroused he picks up the dice on the first throw of his opponent, saying, "My bones." This is his undisputed right, but if he finds that the dice are square he tosses them back with a grunt and the words, "Your bones—shoot!" Sometimes he discovers that his suspicions are justified; then there is a wild scramble for the stakes, razors sometimes flash, and not infrequently the performance ends in the city court, where the parties are arraigned for "disorderly and fighting," and where charms and exclamations will not avert the sentence.—New York Tribune.

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MONDAY.....NOVEMBER 13, 1899.

Lots of rain means lots of money for California later on. So we can well afford to have everything "in soak" at present.

Oil is now being used to lay the dust in many of the coast towns. That shows how everything travels in circles, for lots of "dust" is needed to get the oil in the first place.

Lipton's heart is evidently set on getting the cup, for he is already in the field with a challenge for next year. As he exercises such a vast control the other side of the Atlantic over "the cup that cheers," he naturally feels desirous of laying his hands upon the one we possess.

A party of amateur fishermen on the Sacramento river claim that they saw the sea serpent there, and in order to back up their story they state that they had not been drinking at the time. However, the individual who will tell a sea serpent yarn is just as likely to toy with the truth as to his drinking habits, so, to say the least, there is a cloud upon the whole affair.

The English people have good reason to be alarmed when no news comes from the Cape, for it is plain that the censors would not hold back anything assuring, and silence can well be deemed indicative of reverses. However, it can be reasonably figured that Ladysmith still withstands the assault, for had it fallen, so important a piece of information would be bound to get out somewhere.

Congressman Roberts can at least thank his polygamous instincts for having made him a national character, for there is not a newspaper in the country and, in fact, scarcely in the world, but what has made some kind of comment upon him and his position. Even if the crusade does not succeed in keeping him out of Congress, it is a sure thing that it will bring about his social ostracism while in Washington, so as an object lesson some good will have been accomplished, anyhow.

THE PACIFIC CABLE.

That the next Congress will undertake a settlement of the Pacific cable question can now be considered certain. The official report ordered by the Administration as to the submarine conditions has been presented at Washington, and in view of its eminently satisfactory nature, there are more reasons than ever as to why there should be no further delays in the inauguration of the enterprise. The soundings show that a fairly level route can be secured, and as the expenses therefor will not be extraordinary, there can be no valid objections on that score.

The most significant thing in connection with the cable that has occurred of late is a strong editorial advocating its construction, in the Washington Post, a paper that to a considerable extent can be considered the organ of the Administration. "It is imperative," it says, "that Congress approach this subject at the earliest possible moment, to make sure that the costly process of relying upon the commercial lines shall not continue longer than necessary. The cable must in any event be laid to Hawaii, which is at present utterly isolated, probably the solitary instance in the world of a large civilized community thus cut off from contact with the immediate thought of the nations. . . . . Hitherto the project has faltered because of the great cost involved, and now events have combined to add heavily to the cost by stretching the area to be covered far to the West and South. Notwithstanding this increase in the money burden, there is no escape from the need which presses most heavily upon the Administration."

The article continues in similar strain for a considerable length, the entire editorial being strongly in favor of immediate action by Congress and the culmination of the project. It is unnecessary to call upon the Congressional representatives from this part of the country to support the measure in every way within their power, for it requires no argument to prove that the cable would be an immense factor in our commercial development. While the whole country would benefit by its construction, we would be the greatest gainers, for being upon the border of the continent, it is but natural that whatever advantages might come from improved relations with our Western neighbors would benefit us first. The possibilities, therefore, that the Administration will make the Pacific cable an issue of the coming session should be hailed with satisfaction throughout this part of the country, for the news means one more jewel in the crown of prosperity with which we have been endowed of late.

DIVORCE REFORMS.

That much-discussed subject, a uniform divorce law, is again demanding attention, and this time should be given a full hearing, for the work of the commission has been completed and its findings incorporated in a measure prepared by Judge Lyman Brewster. The proposed interstate enactment is comprehensive and reasonable and makes many radical changes in the present system, or rather lack of system. Its main features are as follows:

No divorce shall be granted in any State for any cause arising prior to the residence of the petitioner or defendant in the State which was not a cause for divorce in the State in which the cause originally arose. Divorce shall not be granted to any one for causes arising in any State unless the person has been resident in said State for one year prior to application for divorce and further intends to remain in the State where petition was made. A residence of two years with intention of permanent residence is required when the causes arose outside of the State. Personal notice must be made to the defendant if he is in the State, this provision being designed to do away as far as possible with the element of secrecy inhering in a mere notice to defendant in an obscure publication of the application for divorce. Every case must be tried in open court. Divorce shall not be granted solely on admissions made in the pleadings. Either party may marry again after divorce, but where notice to defendant has been necessarily by publication, and the defendant has not appeared in court, no decree shall become operative until six months from date of grant. The grounds for divorce are declared to be unfaithfulness to the marriage vows to the extent of personal immorality, habitual drunkenness, whether from alcoholic stimulants or drugs, desertion, extreme cruelty and conviction of felony followed by imprisonment.

While perhaps no measure that could be framed would absolutely meet the diversified requirements of divorce legislation, it must be admitted that the one proposed goes a long step in the right direction. The abuses as to residence and service are fairly well met, and the adoption of the bill would put an end to the scandals that have hovered over sections like South Dakota, that seem to be deliberately bidding for those desiring an easy release from their marital obligations. Having now secured a good bill, the question of putting it into effect is next in issue, a matter that necessarily rests wholly with the legislatures of the various States. Outside of the opposition of shyster divorce lawyers, it is hard to see where any objections can arise, and it should therefore be a comparatively easy task to induce the States to take action. There is no question as to the necessity of the reform, and as it involves that most sacred of our social obligations, the sanctity of the home, there should be an eagerness to get it into operation at as early a date as possible, rather than to delay it in any way. California is ready to do her share, and the rest of the country should respond with equal willingness.

One trait possessed by Professor Wheeler that is bringing him close to the students is the great interest he takes in athletics. "A sound mind in a sound body" is the theory he goes upon, and there is no greater enthusiast at the University on the subject of manly outdoor sports than is he. His influence in this regard will undoubtedly have a great effect upon the make-up of the football, baseball and track teams, and the new life that will be infused that way will be as big a card in an athletic sense as his business ability will prove from the standpoint of his being President of the University.

Attorney General Griggs is being mentioned as a candidate for the vice-presidency, and he is beyond doubt about the strongest man yet presented. His ability and popularity are unquestioned, in addition to which his close personal relations with McKinley would make him an acceptable running mate. The only hitch is as to whether or not the Administration feels that it could spare him from the Cabinet, and Senator Carter of Montana, who is striving for the honor as the representative of the West, doubtless hopes that that view will be taken of it.

That no alarm is felt by the English financiers as to the outcome of the South African war is shown by the subscription of $60,000,000 to a $15,000,000 loan. It is in a sense astonishing how even the Kaffir stocks are standing the test, for they have fallen comparatively little, too many speculators being on hand to gather them in the moment even an indication of war scare prices appears.

PABLO SANCHEZ RECEIVES A LIFE-SAVING MEDAL.

A life-saving medal has been issued to Pablo Sanchez of this city by the Board of Directors of the California Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Sanchez is a teacher of Spanish in the High School of this city. Less than two weeks ago he saved the life of a little girl, who fell into the estuary in East Oakland, while playing on the wharf with a number of companions.

Baseball Games.

The Oakland baseball team easily defeated the Santa Cruz team yesterday at Recreation Park. The score was 5 to 2. The morning game was declared off owing to the condition of the grounds at Freeman's Park.

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LIBRARY SITE AND PLAYGROUND

Dr. Myra Knox Tells About the Meeting at the Ebell.

Dr. Myra Knox, a director on the Board of Education, a member of the Ebell Society, and a physician who has given a good deal of study to sanitary problems, on being invited by a representative of THE TRIBUNE to talk about parks and playgrounds, from their hygienic point of view, said:

"First, if you please, I will say a word or two about the move that was inaugurated on the Library site question in Ebell, on Friday afternoon. That demonstration was really quite unpremeditated. It came spontaneously and as a surprise to us all. It was a genuine movement and not one cut and dried. Some of the ladies thought to use the time intervening between speakers, where one was a little belated, to obtain the sense of present as to the choice of a library site, and the principles on which that choice ought to be based. The result was this: Out of about a hundred members of the Ebell Society present, not one was in favor of placing the new Library made possible for Oakland by Mr. Andrew Carnegie's very great liberality on any public square or park, if any other site is possible. They would prefer to have it placed anywhere else. Of course, however, the ladies of Ebell, being both rational and public-spirited, would rather have a library on one of the city squares than no new library at all.

"On this site question, I would myself say that I have never advocated placing this public building on any city park. We have so few of these very essential adjuncts to the public health, enjoyment and welfare, that we ought to cling to all that we have. We ought, too, to avail ourselves of the present opportunity to increase their number. Instead of using them for building purposes, we should increase them while land is obtainable and relatively cheap. Oakland real estate is almost certain to greatly enhance in value in the near future, so we shall never have a better time than the present as a city to acquire more area, not only for a grand and worthy system of parks and boulevards, and as Banker Garthwaite says, 'waterscapes,' but for more small parks or squares well distributed among our homes and growing population of working people and children.

"I have no particular place in mind to urge for the Library location. It ought to be somewhat central. The business of the city is greatest along Broadway and Washington streets. The Library should be located with some reference to that circumstance. For my part, I can see no objections to putting it on the site of the present structure. If it shall be urged that this does not afford room for surrounding lawn and flower space, an answer to that, I think, will be the fact that the city does not now take adequate care of the spaces under its charge—those around the High School, for instance. That unfortunate fact meets the objection of so many people who are wanting to have large grounds around the Library building, wherever we have it. Certainly the most of these people will agree that ill-attended or ill laid out grounds are worse than none at all.

"But I have ideas about public grounds that go further than the selection of a library site, or even than the multiplication of small parks and squares. I think that there should be a provision of public playgrounds for the children and for older young people. These should not alone be in some sequestered portion of the fine system of large parks that we as a city hope to have, and ought to have, but scattered through the city at convenient intervals, among the homes. These must not be areas of beautiful greensward on which the children may not tread nor of flowers and shrubbery that they mustn't touch. For the young children, they should con swings, sand heaps and places for mud-pies. For older boys, and perhaps for girls, too, there should be places entirely dedicated to them and to athletic exercises and out-door games. As it is, our boys are now dependent for their ball grounds on such vacant lots as they can preempt, and sooner or later they are evicted by the march of so-called progress and have to move on, like Dickens' poor little Joe.

"On such public playgrounds there should be erected and maintained certain simple and necessary structures for out-door sports. In this direction our authorities could well take a lesson from the proprietors of some private parks and resorts. Then, such is the public spirit of Oakland women that I am sure, if the city provided these children's parks, they would secure and maintain suitable and competent women to supervise the games and sports and needs of the children and see that they did the proper things and did not injure themselves.

"I consider this a public reform or advanced step for our future of the very greatest importance to the health and happiness of our children and to the improved physical stamina and moral welfare of the rising generation. Nothing is so conducive to the health of young children as active exercise in the open air. The kind of exercises I would have the city provide by means of these small universally accessible playgrounds would be particularly valuable because they would promote exercise that is unconscious and is entered into spontaneously from the natural sense of enjoyment.

"While I am heartily in favor of the city's preserving and increasing all kinds of park facilities—the grand system, connected by boulevards, and the present small, ornamental breathing places, commonly called squares—I am especially wedded to the idea of these children's playgrounds. This sort of public improvement is especially adapted to Oakland's climate and location. We have here an out-door climate for practically all the year round, as even during our brief rainy season much of the rain comes in the night and there are many pleasant sunny days. Then, while we are shielded by the hills across the bay from the chill winds and fogs of San Francisco, and the Pacific Ocean, and there are enough clouds high in the sky to temper the heats of the sun, and spare us from the enervating tropic conditions of Los Angeles and the more Southern portions of our State and Coast. We have here in Oakland mild, yet bracing temperatures all through the year, such as are enjoyed by few other localities in the world. In fact, I believe that with the proper, sustained policy on the part of our municipal authorities, Oakland might in a not very remote time attain such repute as a place of residence and rearing for delicate children as would be national and world-wide and would add more than almost anything else to our city's very great growth, population, wealth and prosperity."

SOCIETY

Dorothy Quigley in her New York letter says:

"One of the most delightful and successful social occasions of the week was the studio reception given by Miss Clara McChesney in her beautiful new studio at 27 West Thirty-third street, just built by the Waldorf-Astor estate. Two superb copies made by Miss McChesney of famous paintings in the Louvre adorn the walls of the reception room, which is finished in tints. Oriental rugs on walls and floor, brasses, a Venus and a Victory, together with antique furniture and green jars and vases, make this room unusually attractive. In the large working studio, where tea was served, were a most admirable portrait of the veteran writer, Moncure D. Conway, and a maternal subject, the happiest in coloring, pose and feeling that Miss McChesney has executed, which were greatly admired. Miss McChesney is to devote much of her time to painting portraits. Among the Californians present were: Mrs. Silas W. Gregory, Miss Eleanor V. Caldwell, who came over from Washington; Mrs. George Sweet, Mr. Wilbur A. Reaser, as breezy and busy as usual; Mr. Edwin Star Belknap, and Mrs. Edith Carns Robertson. Mrs. Jane Meade Welch was among the distinguished New Yorkers present. Miss McChesney has issued cards for the Saturdays of each month during the season.

"Phoebe Davis, the charming little California actress, appears at the Academy of Music next week in "Way Down East," in which she gives a most refined and artistic impersonation of the heroine.

"Edwin Markham is booked to lecture under the auspices of the Berkeley Institute, Brooklyn, November 14th, on "The Man With the Hoe Poem and the Problem."

Society was well represented at the home of Mrs. E. H. Herrick on Prospect Heights at the Madonna tea given Saturday afternoon in honor of Fabiola. The beautiful home resembled an art gallery, for it was full of specimens of the Madonnas. One of the most valuable specimens was in the hall, an Icon, which was brought from Sitka, and is valued at $2,000. It belongs to the Knox estate. A Murillo purchased in Paris was one of the attractions. A pencil sketch of one of Fra Angelica's Madonnas is owned by Mrs. Herrick. There were some fine specimens of the Baltricelli Madonnas, and an especially fine copy of a Byzantine Madonna taken from the Church of St. Sophia. Some beautiful specimens from Delaroche were loaned by the Rev. Father McSweeney, and the photographs loaned by the Convent of the Sacred Heart were fine copies of the work of Giotto Cimabue. There was an unusually large collection of copies in color work of the Sistine Madonna. An altar cloth was exceptionally handsome. It came from the City of Mexico. So much interest was evinced in this collection that it will be open to the public Monday and Tuesday, when the school children will be given an opportunity to attend.

Mrs. Yule was assisted in receiving by the following directors of the Fabiola Association: Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. H. E. Cooke, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. W. W. Standeford, Mrs. Willard Barton, Mrs. William R. Davis, Mrs. Wallace Everson, and Mrs. McChesney.

Tea was served in the dining-room, the tea table being presided over by Mrs. Paul Lohse, and Mrs. W. W. Standeford. They were assisted by Mrs. George Hammer, the Misses Everson, Pauline and Anita Lohse. Musical numbers were given, Mrs. Langford of St. Francis de Sales' choir singing "Ave Maria," and Mrs. Munsell giving "It is Nightfall on the Sea." Among the guests during the afternoon were: Mrs. George Wheaton, Mrs. William Creed, Mrs. Warren Olney, Mrs. J. K. McLean, Mrs. Julius Abrahamson, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Bakewell, Mrs. O. S. Orrick, Miss Mary Verdon, Miss Whitney, Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mrs. Mygatt, Mrs. Roseborough, Mrs. John J. Valentine, Mrs. E. B. Sanborn, Mrs. R. W. Gorrill, Mrs. Oscar Gowing, Mrs. A. E. Nye, F. L. Barker, E. M. Herrick, Lester Herrick, Mrs. J. C. Wilson, Mrs. Forrest, Miss May Gates, Miss Anna Giblin, Mrs. P. N. Romillard, Miss Romillard, Mrs. Munsell, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. E. B. Jerome, Mrs. Charles Cotton, Mrs. George Meredith, Mrs. J. M. Merrill, Mrs. Emma Warner, Miss Benton, Miss Janssen, Miss Magnes, Mrs. A. D. Thomson, Mrs. J. C. Campbell, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Paul Lohse, Mrs. Giblin, Miss Annie Giblin, Mrs. George W. Percy, Mrs. William R. Davis, Mrs. L. B. Van Den Burgh, Miss Kate Van Den Burgh, Miss Johnston, Miss Brown, Mrs. George Dornin, Mrs. Benton, Miss May Benton.

One of the attractions of the afternoon was the picture of Fabiola, presented to the Fabiola Association by Mrs. P. M. Benton.

Mrs. Wheeler, wife of President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California, was the guest of honor at a reception given by the Young Woman's Christian Association of the university Saturday afternoon. The affair was held at the residence of Mrs. Francis Robinson, 2322 Shattuck avenue, and was largely attended by the women in students of the University.

Mrs. E. M. Herrick has added Monday and Tuesday to the reception days for the Madonna Tea. Saturday was so stormy that many were unable to attend.

This afternoon there will be given one of the large society teas of the season, when Mrs. George W. McNear Sr. and her daughters will be at home to their friends. In the evening there will be the reception to the Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin Fay Mills.

The engagement of Miss Mollie O'Connell and Harry G. Gray is announced. They are to be married next Wednesday evening, November 15th, at the home of the bride, 809 Filbert street.

This is the third season of the Monday afternoon Whist Club, which is composed of mainly of the younger society matrons. The club holds its regular meeting this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. John W. Templeton on Seventeenth street. The members of the club are Mrs. James G. Allen, Mrs. Arthur Crellin, Mrs. J. R. Burnham, Mrs. Minor Goodall, Mrs. Charles Everts, Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. Will Henshaw, Mrs. Andrew Mosely, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. John L. Howard, Mrs. Robert Knight, Mrs. Hayward Thomas, Mrs. O. P. Downing is President of the club, and the members from San Lorenzo are Mrs. Henry Meek, Mrs. Egbert Stone, Mrs. Albert Sutton.

Judge and Mrs. John W. Stetson have returned from their wedding trip and are guests at the Dyer home on Jackson street.

Miss Lillian Rose has returned to her home in Redding.

William Chisholm has been spending a week visiting friends at Healdsburg.

Mrs. Malcolm Grahham, (nee Kent,) will spend the winter in this city instead of going to Manila with Lieutenant Graham. This is owing to the recent order issued by General Otis prohibiting officers' wives to accompany them to Manila.

Ed. Strowbridge has returned from a several months' visit to Honolulu.

Mrs. Edward F. Lippert of Fruitvale has gone south to join her husband.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles W. Wendte have returned from a trip to Europe and are now at Boston. They will visit in this city this winter.

Mrs. A. C. Beck has been visiting her mother in Calaveras county.

A reception was held in the parlor of the Unitarian Church Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt and Miss Mary Hay being the center of attraction. The Alameda County Suffrage Club and the local clubs of Oakland, Alameda, and Berkeley were well represented. It was a notable gathering socially and politically, for both of these bright Easterners insist that the suffragists are "in politics." About sixty were present, and as charmingly gowned as if their egress from the well lighted prettily decorated parlors, with cozily blazing fireside was not to be greeted by dusky clouds and showers.

Mrs. Isabel Baldwin presided as chairman of the occasion. The object of the meeting was two-fold, the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Catt and Miss Hay, and the discussion of methods fdor extening suffrage activities.

Mrs. Catt told of Eastern methods of organization. She spoke of one very curious thing but a thing not by any means confined to Eastern States,—that is, the establishing of various study clubs whose object is to lead women up to suffrage conclusions, but to do so without openly mentioning the subject. Mrs. Catt believed that while these Clubs did good they labored under the disabilities a missionary would, who never mentioned his religion. She thought a more effective method for those of suffrage faith would be to bravely stand by their colors so that any on the anxious seat would have the courage to come forward and be saved.

Mrs. Baldwin said that it was conceded that the men were in favor of suffrage, that it was the women who had to be converted.

Mrs. Catt advised yearly meetings of each local club in some public lecture room, and the sending out of as many invitations as the seating capacity of the room would allow, and that all the other clubs should attend in full force. This was unanimously decided upon.

Hundreds of women in sympathy with the suffrage movement do not know how to give expression to it in organized effort. These measures will probably be very effectual in drawing together large numbers of them.

Miss Hay related a number of instances es of how anti-suffragists had hair breadth escapes, skilful parliamentary tactics keeping the question from coming to a vote.

By urgent request Miss Carrie Whelan, president of the strongest of the local clubs, gave a few ideas on club methods and organization, as a result of her own experience.

Mrs. Cunningham of Livermore, Mrs. M. L. W. Curtis, chairman of the Press Committee, Mrs. William Keith and several others spoke briefly on various topics. Every one was enthusiastic.

After the formal meeting was over Mrs. Catt and Miss Hay held a levee and the hour of animated conversation and ripples of laughter gave evidence to the fact that women may "do politics" and still not divert themselves of the social feminine side of their nature.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hettrick of East Oakland are spending the winter at the Renton, San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Glascock have been spending some time visiting friends at Visalia.

Miss Aldine Crandall is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. I Higdon of Tulare.

Miss Anna West will spend the winter at Santa Barbara.

Miss Blanche Smith has returned to her home at North Yakima, Washington.

Mrs. E. Vanney is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. W. Starr of Tulare.

Rev. B. Fay Mills and family will reside at Piedmont.

Mrs. George A. Shaw is visiting friends at Templeton, San Luis Obispo county.

Mrs. Rudolph Spreckles and Mrs. Herbert Moffitt will be at home the last two Fridays in November.

H. E. Hatcher is in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Nat Gooch of Nashville, Tennessee, mother of Lieutenant Gooch of the First Tennessee is the guest of Mrs. C. W. Hopkins of 1196 Filbert street.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Mann visited Tamalpais last week.

Mrs. S. M. McCullough and Miss Esther McCullough of Irvington and Miss Carrie Stickney of Merced have been visiting Mrs. I. Bingham of Moss avenue, Linda Vista Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Olney, Jr., (nee McLean,) have returned from their wedding trip to Monterey and have taken up their residence on Harrison street.

A Matter of Fact.

Among the special gifts of President McKinley that of effective verbal statement in concise form is especially notable. Few men have ever said in so small a number of words more that was important, and that the country wanted to know, than was said by our chief executive in his speech at the banquet of the Commercial Club in Chicago, October 10, 1899. The President had something good to say, and this is how he said it:

"I congratulate you, gentlemen, upon the growth and advancement of your city and the evidences of prosperity everywhere observable. Nothing impressed me more in looking into the faces of the great multitudes on the streets yesterday than the smiling, happy faces of the people. That was evidence to me of your real and substantial prosperity. It meant the steady employment, good wages, happy homes, and these are always indispensable to good government and to the happiness of the people.

"We have had a wonderful industrial development in the last two years. Our work shops never were so busy; our trade at home was never so large, and our foreign trade exceeds that of any like period in all our history. In the year 1899 we bought abroad upward of $597,000,000 worth of goods; and in the same year sold abroad $1,227,000,000, giving a balance of trade in our favor of $560,000,000.

"This means more labor at home, more money at home, more earnings at home. Our products are carried on every sea and find a market in all the ports of the world. In 1898 the Japanese government took from us 8.86 per cent. of its total imports, and in 1898 14.57 per cent. We are the greatest producers of pig iron, and our manufactures of iron and steel exceed those of any other country. We raise three-fourths of the cotton of the world.

"The growth of the railway system of the United States is phenomenal. From 30 miles in 1830 we have gone to 182,690 miles in 1897.

"Our internal commerce has even exceeded the growth of our outward commerce. Our railroad transportation lines never were so crowded, while our builders of cars and engines are unable to fill the pressing orders made necessary by the increased traffic.

"We have everything, gentlemen, to congratulate ourselves over as to the present condition of the country. I am told by business men everywhere that the business of the country now rests upon a substantial basis and that you are really only making what there is a market for, and as long as you do that, of course, you are doing a safe business, and our markets are going to increase. (Applause.)"

Can any one imagine Grover Cleveland talking that way two years an a half after his second inauguration as President of the United States? His habit of speech, always ponderous and platitudinous and often very dull, was against him, in the first place. Then, too, he never had the help of the splendid facts which inspire the utterances of his more eloquent successor in the presidential office. The facts were all against Mr. Cleveland. They were facts of depression, gloom, discouragement, disaster; the facts of free-trade tariff times. Now the facts are Republican facts, protection facts, McKinley facts. There is a mighty big difference between the facts of four years ago and the facts of today.—American Economist.

ATTACKED BY A LONE HIGHWAYMAN.

John Harrington of San Pablo, while driving with a friend to this city Saturday evening, was attacked by a highwayman and severely cut with a knife. The affair occurred about a mile north of West Berkeley. A stranger hailed the man at that point and asked for a ride. Harrington responded that the rig would not carry another. The man drew a knife and made a lunge at Harrington, cutting him in the back of the head and neck. Before the man could do further injury the horse was whipped up and the two men drove to this city. Harrington had his wounds dressed at the Receiving Hospital.

Pneumonia Caused Death.

An inquest was held on the body of the unknown man found near Centerville. Death was found to be due to pneumonia.

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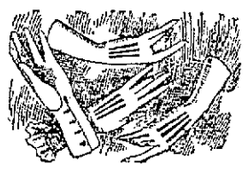

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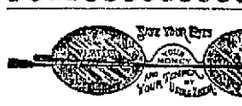

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REPLY TO THE REV. R. F. COYLE.

T. T. Frickstad Tells About Gambling and the Remedy For It.

Editor TRIBUNE:—In your issue of November 6th you gave some extracts from a sermon by Rev. R. F. Coyle, D. D., in which he spoke of gambling, "the spirit of which is growing at a pace that is really alarming." That statement is only too true, but the strange thing about it is that the doctor seems to see gambling only in its plainest forms, as in a prize fight, at the race track, and in games of cards played for a prize. He says: "The passion for gambling has taken hold upon thousands of our young men and is hurrying them down to ruin." The doctor seems to speak of this as though it were something strange and unaccountable that such should be the case; but, when we consider the environments and the fact that gambling is an important element in nearly every business transaction, under the present competitive system of industry, it is surely not unnatural that the spirit of gambling should be growing.

Perhaps Dr. Coyle does not see any gambling in ordinary business, but let him conclude to have a new home built by contract, as most of the building is being done now, and give the contract to the lowest bidder, and what will happen?

Say ten men will spend one day each in looking over the ground and in estimating cost of material and labor for the building of that house, and say that each man's labor is worth four dollars a day. There you have a lottery in which the award of the contract is the prize, and the bids are the tickets, bought at a cost of four dollars each. Ten have bought tickets, but only one can get the prize, while nine get nothing in return. If those ten men are not gambling, there is no gambling in a lottery. The one who lets the contract is conducting a lottery, and the one who takes the contract is playing in a lottery; for if in making his estimate he may overlook some item, and if it is a large contract such item might cost him thousands of dollars, so that he may not only have to do the work for nothing, but he may have to pay out of his own pocket thousands of dollars to finish the work, and the owner will get a house that costs more than he pays for it, while the contractor is impoverished.

When a farmer stores and holds his produce, believing that prices will go up, he is speculating on the future price of that product as truly as if he were dealing through a "Call Board." When a merchant buys a large stock of goods because he believes prices will be higher, he is gambling on the price of the article as truly as if he were dealing in stocks. The same is true where a person tries to sell out, or refrains from buying more than he is obliged to, because he believes prices will go down; and the children are drilled in gambling from infancy. Why, then, should not the spirit of gambling grow? The spirit of gambling does not only take chances by investing where it may receive a thousand-fold or nothing in return, but the spirit of gambling is exercised whenever we try to obtain a greater value than that while the contractor is impoverished.

When it costs five dollars to produce an article of any kind, and we try to get it for one dollar, that is the spirit of gambling, because some one else will have to pay the other four dollars and receive nothing in return—perhaps four workers have each received one dollar as their share for their work, while the buyer puts in one dollar and carries off the prize of five dollars.

Statistics show that the ordinary products of one man's labor is worth about ten dollars a day; or $3,000 for 300 days. If I should learn a trade or profession which would enable me to demand $10,000 for a year's service, I would obtain an unearned prize of $7,000. That is, in the "Lottery of Life," I would, under those conditions, draw out $7,000 more than I put in, whether I acted as a pilot or as a preacher; while others would draw out $7,000 less than they put in. Under the competitive system of industry, life is a lottery so far as compensation for work is concerned, and under it every man and woman who renders any service to society and draws any reward for that service is a gambler—I and Dr. Coyle among the rest of them. When a person, within his limit of choice, selects a trade or profession, that is the ticket on which he is betting in the "Lottery of Life," and the "Wheel of Fortune" determines how much he is to draw, without justice or equity.

Gambling is a part of our competitive system; and the spirit of gambling is likely to grow stronger as the struggle becomes more exciting, until competition is exchanged for co-operation, when the motive for gambling shall have been taken away. It is of but little use to cut off a twig here and there in the top of the tree of gambling, such as lottery, horse racing, and card playing for a prize. So long as its sap (spirit) runs into every branch of business, trade, profession and calling—not excepting ministers and churches—the tree will grow and destroy the character of millions of people. To give a death blow to the spirit of gambling, the ax must be applied to the root of the tree—the competitive struggle for a living and for wealth. A great many ministers have something to say about gambling and the gambling spirit; but what will they and the churches do to remove the motive for gambling and to rid themselves of the necessity of gambling for a living and to save others from that necessity? So far it has amounted to very little but talk. Some years ago, after the Free Thinkers' Association met in New York, the New York Tribune said: "The tree of free thinking bears no practical fruit; only talk, a large crop every year." It seems to be so with most churches and ministers, so far as any practical righteousness is concerned. Ministers talk about "men" and "the masses" do not come to church; they talk about crime, drunkenness and various forms of immorality; but who of them will suffer any self denial and go out of their cherished rend to take hold of any practical measure to remove the cause?

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IN FAVOR OF LINCOLN PARK.

Fifth Warder Commends Work of Councilmen.

Editor TRIBUNE—It strikes me that now is the time to settle once and for all the Carnegie library site question. The more the matter is discussed the more divided we seem to be on the subject.

The City Council should definitely decide upon a site at once. Then we could proceed with our plans and tell Mr. Carnegie that we are ready to receive his money.

It seems to me that there can be no question as to the availability of the Lincoln square as a site for the new library. We all know that Lincoln is one of the finest squares in the city. It is exactly the same distance from Fourteenth and Broadway as is the Lafayette square. In fact it is better located for a library site than is Lafayette square.

The work of President Rowe and Councilman Schaffer in the premises is to be commended. They have worked hard and earnestly for Lincoln square and I am quite sure that the people fully appreciate what they have done in the matter. Indeed I hope the gentlemen may be successful in their effort.

The people east of Broadway ask for Lincoln square. I am sure that their appeal will have some weight with the Council. Let Mr. Shaffer and Mr. Rowe keep up the good work and we will back them up. Yours truly.

FIFTH WARDER.

An Evening of War, Song and Story.

Rev. A. Dobbins, assisted by his wife and daughter, will give an illustrated entertainment with the above title in the First M. E. Church this evening. The old war songs will be rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Dobbins, and they will be illustrated by 150 Brady views, the only photographic views extant of war scenes taken during the Civil War. There are 150 of these views, many of them colored, including several transformation scenes. This is Prof. Dobbins' last lecture in Oakland. No admission will be charged.

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PRIZE MONEY FOR DEWEY'S MEN

Spanish Force Said to Be Superior to American.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—A special to the Herald from Washington says:

On behalf of Admiral Dewey and his officers and men, Washington attorneys have asked the Court of Claims to find that the amount of bounty money due them is $352,800.

The decision of the court will establish a precedent which will affect the amount of bounty to be distributed among the officers and men of the North Atlantic fleet, which destroyed the squadron of Admiral Cervera. If the finding of the court is in accordance with the request the Admiral's share of the bounty will be $18,194.

Attorneys base their case upon the claim that the defeated Spanish force was superior to the American squadron. It is not contended that the enemy's fleet was superior, but that, taking into consideration the guns at Corregidor, El Fraile and other forts at the entrance of the bay and those at Manila and Cavite, which fired upon the American ships continuously, the enemy's force was superior.

Land batteries comprised seventy-six guns ranging in caliber from 9.45 inches to 3.09 inches, and their weight of fire is computed at 5,820 pounds. The enemy's vessels were also supported by mines and torpedos in the entrance to Manila bay and the bay itself, and some of these, the brief states, exploded during the action.

The total number of men on the Spanish fleet is given at 2,973, but no claim for bounty is made on account of the Manila, which was captured comparatively uninjured, or of the Don Juan de Austria, the Isla de Cuba and the Isla de Luzon, which were raised after sinking and are now in the United States navy. The complement of the three latter vessels is 491, but that number must be doubled to reach the actual number on board, making 982, and to this must be added the complement of the Manila, a total of 1,059. Deducting this from the total of 2,973, leaves 1,914 as the number on board the destroyed vessels.

A comparison of the American gun force entirely aboard ship with the Spanish forces partly afloat and partly ashore cannot be made, gun for gun, unless it be accepted that a gun is equally efficient on a vessel as on land. In making a comparative summary of American and Spanish guns, 60 per cent should be added to the number of shore guns, the attorneys contended. The result is favorable to the Spanish side, except in the guns from 6-pounders down, where there is a slight superiority on the American side. The weight of gun fire of the Spaniards was nearly double that of the American forces, the amount of metal thrown in one round by the American ships being 5,800 pounds, against 10,606 by the enemy.

"It must be remembered," the brief states, "that the entrance of the American fleet under Admiral Dewey through a channel with torpedoes, and its maneuvers in the bay where unseen dangers threatened every moment, required the highest degree of personal gallantry and heroism. These are not to be disregarded in construing this statute.

"It is argued that mines should be counted as a part of the Spaniard's effective force.

"If mines are to be counted in as part of the force of vessels they are adding," the brief says, "we can conceive of no reasoning that will exclude shore batteries also engaged in aiding and defending in battle."

RECEPTION TO MR. AND MRS. MILLS.

A reception will be tendered to the Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin Fay Mills at the Unitarian Church this evening. The Woman's Alliance will have charge of the reception. The people of Oakland are invited to be present.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SUPERVISORS

Many Applications are Handled By the County Fathers.

The Board of Supervisors met this morning all the members being present.

Saloon licenses were granted to Niels Lund, Santa Rita Junction saloon and Bettilgan & Davis, Hotel Renner, Fruitvale.

MUST RESIGN.

The clerk was instructed to notify Bettilgen that he would have to resign as Poundmaster for the Fruitvale district, as it was against the law to have such a position held by a man in the liquor business.

TIDAL CANAL.

With respect to bridges over the tidal canal, the following was read:

"United States Engineer Office, San Francisco, November 11, 1899.—To the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, Oakland, Cal. Gentlemen: In consequence of previous correspondence on the subject of bridges across the proposed tidal canal, you recently sent me a resolution passed by your Honorable Board, discontinuing, as a highway, that portion of Washington avenue which crossed the proposed tidal canal, to become effective in the completion for traffic of the Fruitvale avenue bridge and the completion of the tidal canal across Washington avenue.

"In passing this resolution, you doubtless intended (and it was so understood by me) that this should operate as a release to the Government from building a highway bridge at Washington avenue. The correspondence on file in your office and in mine on this subject shows that this was in contemplation; but as the petition for a discontinuance of that portion of Washington avenue crosses the tidal canal did not state that one of its objects was to release the Government from the necessity of building a highway bridge at that locality, it left the matter in such a state of uncertainty that it was submitted to the United States District Attorney for this district, who advised that you be requested to pass another resolution in substance as inclosed.

"By giving this matter early consideration you will greatly oblige. Yours Respectfully,

"W. H. HEUER,
"Major Corps of Engineers U. S."

The following resolution was then introduced:

"Whereas, By decree of the Superior Court in and for the County of Alameda, certain lands were condemned by the Government for a tidal canal; and

"Whereas, It was determined by said decree that the Government should build certain bridges across the tidal canal, on all the public highways and railways then crossing the line of said canal; and as one of the said highways crossed the proposed canal at Washington avenue and another crossed the same at Fruitvale avenue, both highways joining at a point immediately south of the proposed canal; and

"Whereas, The Government proposes in lieu of said bridge at Washington avenue to build a bridge at Fruitvale which shall, in all respects, answer the convenience of the traveling public and which will be acceptable and advantageous to the people of Alameda county and thus avoid the building of two highway drawbridges almost touching each other; and

"Whereas, That portion of Washington avenue which crosses the tidal canal has been discontinued as a highway, the discontinuing to take effect when the Fruitvale avenue bridge shall be completed and opened for travel, and the tidal canal shall cut through where Washington avenue now crosses said proposed canal; now, therefore,

"Resolved, That when the Government builds and completes the bridge at Fruitvale avenue and opens the canal across the line of Washington avenue according to plans submitted to this Board, it shall be deemed to be in full compliance by the Government with the decree of the court aforesaid, and the Government shall be relieved and released from building the said bridge across Washington avenue under said decree;

"Resolved, That the abandonment of that part of Washington avenue across the said proposed tidal canal is in consideration of the advantages to be accrued to Alameda county by giving more wharf room along the banks of the canal and interfering less with navigation and in contemplation of the early completion of the bridge to be built by the Government across the canal at Fruitvale avenue."

The resolution was adopted.

The clerk was instructed to send a copy of the resolution as adopted to Major Heuer.

WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.

A resolution was adopted allowing a change to be made in the plans of the Webster street bridge by constructing four 8-pile dolphins to protect the end-rest piece in place of eight 4-pile dolphins and to place turnbuckles in each of the wheel rods, in the turn table, for the purpose of adjustment.

The application of J. B. Barnard of Niles and Mrs. Faig of Alvarado for liquor licenses were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The invitation of the California State Association for the Storage of Flood Water to attend the convention which is to be held tomorrow in San Francisco was filed.

CREDITS.

Credits of time for good conduct were allowed John McCoy, Thomas Manning, John Mather and Charles Roody, prisoners in the County Jail.

APPLICATIONS.

The application of Hammond R. West, of 1065 Fifth avenue, a native of Maine, aged 49 years, was referred to Supervisor Roeth.

The application for relief of Nels Anderson and wife, who reside on Mather street, Piedmont, was referred to Supervisor Roeth.

Mrs. Pigram, colored, again made application for relief through a white friend who had given her shelter in her basement. The applicant appeared first at the last meeting of the Board, when the case was continued to see how much money the members of the colored church of which Mrs. Pigram was a member could raise to defray the cost of sending the applicant back to her home in South Carolina. This morning the applicant's white lady friend said she had discovered that Mrs. Pigram's husband, who had deserted her, was working at the Judson Iron Works, receiving $2 a day. She wanted to know whether the husband could not be obliged to support his wife. The matter was referred to the District Attorney.

REPAIR BRIDGE.

Supervisor Talcott was empowered to repair the damage to a bridge in Crow Canyon.

On motion of Mr. Talcott, W. P. Wetmore was granted an extension of twenty days for the completion of the culvert, 1,500 feet from San Lorenzo Postoffice on the Mt. Eden road.

Supervisor Roeth was empowered to repair a culvert on the Thorn Hill road at a cost not to exceed $100.

MISS MOFFITT WILL MARRY.

Engaged to George Doubleday of New York.

The interesting news has reached this city of the engagement of Miss Alice Moffitt to George Doubleday of New York. The happy intelligence will be a complete surprise to all but relatives and a few friends of the young lady. Mr. and Mrs. James Moffitt and their daughter went East about three months ago for an extended visit, and now comes the announcement which is the outcome of a romance begun three years ago.

When Miss Ethel Cohen was married to Lieutenant Bent, U. S. A., three years ago, Miss Moffitt was one of the very pretty bridesmaids on that occasion. The picture of the young lady was published in a San Francisco weekly and was seen by Mr. Doubleday in New York. He took a fancy to the picture and cut it out and kept it. A year later, when he came to this coast on a business trip, he hoped he would see the original of his cherished picture. At a society function which he attended he was introduced to his ideal, and was in no way disappointed in his estimate of her. He made another trip last year, but Miss Moffitt was going away when he arrived, and he did not meet her. Last summer he came again, and made no secret of his intentions. Miss Moffitt's parents were asked for her hand, but their consent was withheld. Mrs. Moffitt was not reconciled to have the width of the continent between her and her daughter. Everything has been satisfactorily arranged, however, and although no time has been set for the wedding, the ceremony will take place shortly.

Mr. Doubleday has just passed his thirtieth birthday, is tall, handsome and distinguished looking. He is connected with a large manufacturing concern in the East.

Miss Moffitt is the younger daughter of James Moffitt, one of the proprietors of the big paper house of Blake, Moffitt & Towne. She has always lived in Oakland, where she is one of the most popular girls in society. She is an enthusiastic golf player and is California's champion woman player. She possesses many loving cups and other trophies as proof of her proficiency in the outdoor sport. She is an excellent and fearless horsewoman and has won at paper chases until other women would not compete if she entered the lists. She won the $250 loving cup at the Burlingame golf tournament last July and then made a tour of the south, coming home triumphant, having won all the honors.

Dr. Herbert Moffitt, who recently married Miss Marguerite Jolliffe, is a brother of the young lady.

FAMILY QUARREL ENDS IN MURDER

Son Kills His Father Over Division of Property.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—George J. Schan, 50 years old, an employe in the Supreme Court, was shot and killed at his home today by his son, George W. Schan, a dentist. The wife of the murdered man, and the mother of young Schan, died a year and a half ago, leaving, it is said, considerable property to be divided between her husband and two sons. One son is now in Manila, a member of the Fourth United States Infantry. The father remarried and refused, it is said, to probate the will of his dead wife. Both sons left home at the time of the second marriage. They continually demanded that the property left by their mother be divided, and in lieu of that called upon the father for money, which was refused. The son George, it is said, declared that he would never allow his stepmother to get any of his property. He went to the house of his father early and found him in bed. His stepmother was in an adjoining room. The son repeatedly demanded money. The father became enraged and raised himself from the bed in a menacing manner, when the young man drew a revolver and fired two shots. The murderer's revolver was so close that the powder burnt his victim's face. The elder Schan fell back on the bed and expired immediately. The son placed the revolver on the dresser and calmly awaited his arrest.

The Men's League.

The regular meeting of "The Men's League" will be held in the chapel Tuesday evening, November 14th, at eight o'clock. Mr. R. H. Chamberlain will give a paper on "Public Ownership," followed by general discussion, and a social time with light refreshments.

Alcatraz Lodge.

Alcatraz Lodge No. 244 F. and A. M. will meet this evening to confer the first degree.

WANTED HIM TO STAY.

Von Blumer—Have another cigar.

Plankington—Thanks (puff), but really I must go (Puff.) It's getting late.

Von Blumer—For heaven's sake don't leave yet, old man! (Puff.) My wife objects to my smoking in the house.—Puck.

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DEMAND CAPTAIN WENK'S REMOVAL

Trouble Among the Members of Company A of Oakland.

There are internal troubles in Company F, Oakland's crack company of the National Guard. It all centers about the dislike of its members for Captain Wenk. The unpopularity of Captain Wenk, it seems, dates from the time of the company's enlistment in the Eighth Regiment during the war. Captain Wenk is accused of having favored the new soldiers who came into the ranks during Company F's affiliation with the Eighth Regiment.

This discontent, which has been smouldering for so long a time, broke out last week when thirty-two men of the company signed a petition for Captain Wenk's removal. The Captain resented this action last Monday night by calling out of the ranks several of the men who had signed this petition and excused them from drill.

He at the same time informed those who had appended their names to the offensive document that if they did not withdraw their names from it by the following Tuesday (tomorrow) he would discharge them "for the good of the service." The names of the signers of the petition are said to have been given to the captain by Quartermaster Felton who was assigned to his present post in the place of Arthur Hansen.

The threatened soldiers say that if this menace is carried out, they will call for an investigation. They also express their determination to vote out of the company the few members who have refused to sign the petition for Captain Wenk's removal.

STARR KING WILL DISCUSS CHARITY.

The Starr King Fraternity will devote the evening of November 26th to a public discussion of charities. There are to be four 20-minute addresses on the following topics: A discussion of the question whether all forms of charity are not vicious; whether giving something for nothing is not always bad policy and harmful, both to the recipient and to the community. This view, as expressed by Herbert Spencer, will be discussed by Prof. Arthur O. Lovejoy, who was recently called to the department of philosophy of Stanford University.

Miss Octavine Briggs, who has had an unusually interesting experience among the poor people of San Francisco, will relate many of her personal experiences, thus picturing the life and habits of mind of the people among whom she lives.

Another speaker will tell how charities developed from primitive forms to their present condition of high organization—a historical or evolutionary view of the subject.

Finally, Miss Felton, the able secretary of the Oakland Associated Charities, will describe the highest existing type of organized charity. The evening will be in charge of Dr. Edward von Adelung.

MRS. CAMPBELL NOW SUED FOR MONEY.

Jose Perry, who was arrested on a charge of insanity several days ago at the instance of Mrs. Eugenia Campbell, has filed suit to recover six months' wages for work done as gardener at the Campbell residence in Berkeley.

Mrs. Campbell had Perry arrested because he insisted on making love to her. He told her that the spirits had ordained that they should be married. When examined by the Lunacy Commissioners Perry was declared sane. He said he had learned Spiritualism from watching Mrs. Campbell act as a medium. He had practiced the science and had come to the conclusion that there was nothing in it.

At the time of his examination Perry was forced to surrender the keys to the Campbell home. Mrs. Campbell said that she had paid Perry an occasional dollar for his services, but that she had not hired him at any regular wage.

UPHOLDS OUR WAR IN PHILIPPINES.

The Rev. C. M. Hill of the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church upheld the war in the Philippines during his sermon last evening.

"Our land has within the past two years witnessed a startling revival of the war spirit," he said during the course of his remarks. "A small standing army of 25,000 has been increased to one of great magnitude to do battle on o foreign soil. The war with Spain, on behalf of Cuba, was a righteous one. Duty took us to Manila and there has been no time since then when our responsibilities there could be laid aside. Whatever is to be the future of the islands, our present duty is plain: We must subdue the insurrection there.

"After that, declare for the largest possible liberty for the Filipinos and for ourselves speedy return to our old ways of peace."

GAVE LECTURE ON CONSUMPTION.

In a very scientific discourse before the German societies, at Germania Hall, last evening, Dr. Med R. Fricke showed that the cause of infection of tuberculosis must be brought on by an inflammatory disease which creates a local inflammation and thereby forms the most susceptible soil for infection. Furthermore, he plainly proved that there is no just or scientific cause to believe that consumption is hereditary, even though there are cases which seemingly show a hereditary history, still such cases only possess a predisposition rather than an inheritance, because they do not inherit the disease, but a weak lung which is more susceptible to this disease than in the case of children born from healthy parents.

The lecture was brilliantly explained by microscopic demonstrations in which the doctor was ably assisted by Dr. Jos. E. Moutoux.

DIVORCE ACTIONS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

A publication of summons has been ordered in the divorce action of George L. Olmstead against Jessie Olmstead. The suit is brought on the grounds of desertion and infidelity. When last heard of Mrs. Olmstead was in Wichita, Kas.

The divorce actions of Lena A. Stetson against James B. Stetson, and Maria L. Santos against A. J. Santos have been referred to the Court Commissioner to take the testimony, the defendants having defaulted.

DEATH OF A MINING ENGINEER.

Lyman Parke, one of the best known mining engineers on the Pacific coast, died Saturday evening at his residence on Adeline street. He passed away after a lingering illness extending over several months.

The deceased was 65 years of age and was at one time a member of the well known San Francisco firm of the Parke & Lacey Company, dealers in mining machinery. Since withdrawing from the firm he has devoted himself exclusively to mining engineering.

DEATH SUMMONS JOSEPH KENNER.

Joseph Kenner, an ex-policeman, was yesterday morning found dead in one of the cells of the City Prison. Kenner was arrested on Friday on a charge of drunkenness and begging. He had been subject to epileptic fits for a number of years, and it is believed that he was seized with one of these spells from which he was unable to rally.

The deceased was at one time a member of the police force, and for a time acted as jailor of the City Prison, in which he died alone and unattended.

FRAUDS IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 13.—Deputy Coroner Samuel P. Salter, who is involved in the alleged election frauds in the Thirteenth division of the Seventh Ward, and for whom a warrant has been issued, surrendered himself today. He entered $1,000 bail, to appear for a hearing next Thursday.

The warrant charges Salter with conspiring with others to procure and cast fraudulent ballots and make false returns at the recent election. Salter's arrest is the result of the hearing last week of five alleged repeaters, who are said to have been brought to this city from Washington by Lieutenant Lodgers of the capitol police, and who are under bail for trial. At his hearing, George Kirkland, one of the defendants, who acted as minority inspector on election day, testified that under Salter's direction he assisted in depositing 200 ballots in the box before the polls opened. He also testified that only 124 legal votes were cast in the division, while the returns showed 339, of which 332 were given to Barnett, Republican, for State Treasurer, and only five for his Democratic opponent.

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"POP" BEMIS.

His New Liquor Store Opens on Wednesday Next.

The Sunset Wine Co. opens next Wednesday under the management of O. Bemis, familiarly known as "Pop," whose popularity is extended and is one of the best known saloon men in Oakland, having for over twenty-five years followed his vocation in this city. Mr. Bemis intends to conduct a first-class saloon in all regards, and will keep the very highest grade of wines, liquors and cigars and will make his place a perfect family liquor store, with a free delivery. The new store is located in Landregan Bros.' old quarters at 912 Broadway (Blake block), near Eighth street. Under "Pop's" management the new venture is bound to be a success. Mr. Bemis' wide circle of friends will be glad to know he is again in business, and will undoubtedly make their presence known by a liberal patronage.

CASES TREATED AT RECEIVING HOSPITAL.

John Ryan, formerly of the Ninth New York Regulars, was treated at the Receiving Hospital yesterday for a broken nose. He fell on his face while ascending some stairs.

Fred Hesse, a machinist residing at 1312 Grove street, was treated at the Receiving Hospital for a scalp wound caused by being accidentally struck by a steam gauge.

W. Rankin, a locomotive engineer, was treated for a bruised knee, resulting from a fall while alighting from his engine.

Charles Devlin, a mill hand, was treated for a broken finger.

Board of Trade.

The directors of the Board of Trade will hold a regular meeting next Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

FROM SOUTH CAROLINA.

"Where is ze famous seenator with ze tar prong?"

"Tar prong, count? Are you sure you are right?"

"Ah, monsieur, it may possible be ze tar fork."

"Guess again, count."

"Let me see. Ah, yes! It is ze pitch-fork. We foreigners are so stupede."—Chicago News.

RAPID IN EVERY RESPECT.

Pearl—"My brother is up in Canada shooting the rapids."

Ruby—"Indeed! Why that's just what my brother is doing."

Pearl—"Is he in Canada, too?"

Ruby—"No; he's in the Philippines shooting the Filipinos on the run."—Chicago News.

SWEEPING.

Ida—"Did you notice how that haughty thing swept out the room with head elevated?"

May—"Yes, indeed, and don't you know it reminded me of mamma down home. She always sweeps out the rooms with head elevated."—Chicago News.

A REAL ONE.

Lawyer—"Your honor, here is my clause."

Larry (in the rear)—"Will ye hear thot, Dinny He's got claws, is saucy an' rid in th' face. Ain't he a rale lobster?"—Chicago News.

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H. Libermann, M. D., Suregon-General of the French Army, in an article on "La Grippe" (Influenza), recommends the following hot grog: "One-third goblet of Vin Mariani, with two-thirds boiling water, cloves and cinnamon, and with or without sugar, makes a grog of exquisite flavor, which produces immediate beneficial effect in severe cases of cold, attended by convulsive coughing and depression. It is best taken at bed time. In the grip epidemic in France it was the tonic absolutely relied upon, and has received frequent deserved mention in the Medical Press. It has been shown that patients recover very slowly, there is much general weakness and lassitude, invariably calling for something in the nature of a mild tonic stimulant, and it has been found that Mariani Wine is unequalled for such cases."

Dr. Cyrus Edson of the New York Health Department has made a careful study of the subject in his book on "La Grippe," published by Appelton & Co. On page 39 he writes of Vin Mariani and calls special attention to it in the form of a hot grog. In speaking of the complete prostration accompanied by the depression caused by this disease, and also during entire convalescence, his preference for a tonic stimulant is a hot grog of Vin Mariani. He says it is excellent for the purpose intended, and recommends its use freely. The remedy is simple and within easy reach of all who suffer from this dreaded disease.

A book with further explicit details will be sent by Mariani & Co., 52 West 15th st., New York, to any one who will write requesting same. It is certainly worth writing for.

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GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction of San Pablo avenue and Fourteenth street.

JACKSON'S Pharmacy, 1778 Seventh street, West Oakland.

A. L. LEBER'S Drug and Stationery Store, 932-934 Seventh street.

VOICE & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

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DEEDS.

Nov 10, 99—Wm H and Frances Mackinnon to Soren Schmidt, N 43d st 150 W West st W 50 x N 100 being lot 23 blk 2068, Alden tract at Temescal, Oakd $10.

Nov 11, 99—Cathrina Ziegenbein to Robt W and Catherine L Lewis, E Adeline st 55 S 19th st S 30 x E 100 blk 646, Oakd, $10.

Nov 10, 99—Hermann and Louisa Sund to Antonio C Lima and Antone Simmons, W Campbell st 125 S Pacific st S 25 x W 99-3 being lot 24 blk 456, revised map Gibbons prty at Oakd pt, Oakd, $675.

Nov 10, 99—Emma S Reinhardt to Stephen A Norman, NE E-20th st 75 NW 17th av NW 39 x NE 140 being lot 9 and ptn lot blk 56, San Antonio, E Oakd, $10.

Dec 13, 98—Geo C Mather to Livingston Jenks, SE 11th av 82 NE E-16th st NSE 40 SE 102-4 SW 17-6 NW 41.2 SW 22.6 NW 60.8 to beg blk 88, Clinton, subj to 2 mtgs 1st $1000, 2d for $500, to correct former deed, E Oakd, $40.

Jan 14, 99—Mary E Seaton, Etta Mae Hoge wf R P and Horace S Seaton to Mariana Foster, SE Addison and 9th sts E 50 x S 100 being 48 ft of lot 1 and W 2 ft lot 2 blk 105, Sisterna tract, Bkly, $10.

Oct 6, 99—Jas L and Mary C Barker to John G Cooper, S Ward st 260 W Ellsworth st W 40 x S 134-6 being the W 15 ft lott 11 and E 25 ft lot 10 blk C, map of S ptn Blake Estate in plot 69 Ro V and D Peralta, Bkly, $100.

Dec 7, 98—Casper A Renner to Maria Renner, Und 1-2 int foll—Lot 4 blk 772 on map of C C Clays sub of blk 772 and tracts blks 728, 734, 747, 751 to 754 and 770 Levy and Lane tract, Bklyn Tp; all of blk 1 and all of lot 1 blk 10, North Alameda tract, Bklyn Tp, gift.

May 10, 99—Margaretha Schneider to Lena Schneider, N, Clinton av 300 E Chestnut st E 50 x .. 150 being lot 7 in W 1-2 blk N, lands adj to Encinal, Ala, $10.

Oct 18, 99—Wm H High to Elizabeth A Cordell, lot 2 blk A, Knox tract adjc to Haywards, Eden Tp, $5.

Nov 7, 99—H B and Christina Oxsen to C L Crellin, 20 acres beg at a portn on the line dividing plots 3 and 4 of Ro El Valle de San Jose distant 20 ft from W line plot 28, th W along dividing line of plots 3 and 4 1320 ft th S 660 E 1320 ft W 660 ft to beg being ptn, plot 3 Ro El Valle de San Jose, Mury Tp; right of way that runs along the E end of a ptn of plot 4 of said Ro bet county road Survey No. 2065 and Plot 3 of said Ro El Valle de San Jose; a strip of land for a road to be 40 ft wide along the W line of Plot 28 the said strip to be taken from Plot 3 of Ro El Valle de San Jose, $10.

Nov. 4, 1899—W. I. & Josephine Brobeck to Nelson Provost, Okd, S McKee or 51st st 137-6 W Occidental st W 37-6 x S 135, being the E ¼ Lot 5 and W 12-6 Lot 6 blk F, Paradise Park, $10.

Nov 11, 99—Lewis C and Lizzie J Snyder to Stephen A Norman, E Okd, NE E-20th st 114 NW 17th av NW 86 x NE 140 being lots 5, 6, 7, and W 11 ft lot 8 blk 56, San Antonio, $10.

Nov 1, 99—Jas L and Mary C Barker to F J Solinsky, Bkly, N Durant av 150 E Fulton st E 50 x N 130 being ptn lot 7 blk 13, Ppty College Tld Assn, $10.

Sept 14, 99—Eleanor S. Chester and Ella M Doering by Frank H Brooks atty to Axel Boyer, Bklyn Tp, S Prentiss av 325 W Peralta av NW 50 SW 122.75 SE 50 NE 122.75 to beg, $10.

Nov 10, 99—Hermann Bremer to Wm J and Lisette Fredericks, Ala, N Taylor av 189.2½ W 6th st W 38 x N 100.2, $10.

MORTGAGES.

Nov 10, 99—Carl J F Stolte to H B Pinney, Bklyn Tp, lots 23 and 24 blk F, on Map of sub ptn blocks E, F, and G of Revised Map Prospect Hill tract, 1 year, 8 per cent, $323.

Nov 11, 99—Lucy A Porter to Victor N Ligda, Okd, E Hannah st 125 S H st S 50 x E 133 blk 753, Watts tract Map 2, Nov 11, 1901, 8 per cent, $200.

Nov 9, 99—Albert Klebsh to Oakland B & L Assn, E Okd, NW E-22d st and 21st av W 252.6 N 140 W 25 S 140 E 25 to beg, being lot 45 blk73, Northern Addn to Bklyn, 6 years, $355.

Nov 11, 99—Stephen A Norman to Lewis C Snyder, E Okd, NE E-20th st fmly Jackson st 114 NW 17th av NW 86 x NE 140 block 56, San Antonio, Nov 11, 1900, 8 per cent, $350.

Nov 11, 99—Marie B Samouillet to Marianne Cabaup, Bkly, N Addison st 100 W Milvia st fmly Price st W 150 x N 125 being lots 8, 9 and 10 blk 2, tract A, Bkly L and T I Assn, 3 years, 7 per cent, $1,100.

Oct 28, 99—Albert M Armstrong to Geo W Reed, Murray Tp, 160 acres being the S one-fourth of Sec 32 Tp 4 SR 2 E, 3 mos, 7 per cent, $700.

Oct 28, 99—Martha M Porter to Samuel Weld, Ala, N Pacific av 150 W Willow st W 50 x N 150, 1 year, $250.

Nov 11, 99—Laura Newton to Lowell J Hardy Jr ptn Est Lowell J Hardy (incompt.) Ala, N cor Clement av and Broadway NE 100 x NW 140.2 block D, Hays and Caperton tract, 1 year, 8 per cent, $1,800.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

Oct 25, 99—Livingston Jenks to Wm G Henshaw and C E Palmer trs Union Savings Bank, E Okd, SE 11th av 82 NE E-16th st NE 40 SE 102-4 SW 17-6 NW 41.2 SW 22.6 NW 60.8 to beg blk 88, Clinton, subj to 2 mtgs 1st $1000, 2d for $500, to correct former deed, E Oakd, $40.

Nov 10, 99—Hermann Bremer to Wm J and Lisette Fredericks, Ala, N Taylor av 189.2½ W 6th st W 38 x N 100.2, $10.

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POINTS ON NEW BOOKS.

Some Recent Publications That are Attracting Attention.

The imprint on a book of the famous publishing house of J. B. Lippincott & Company (Philadelphia and London) is a guarantee of two things—literary excellence and artistic bookbinding. In "A Man: His Mark," just issued by the Lippincotts, the first guarantee was not needed, as the story is by W. C. Morrow, one of the best short story writers of the day. Mr. Morrow's latest tale is a longer and more elaborate work than he has yet given to the public, and he is fortunate in having for his publisher a house of such high standing as the Lippincott Company. Mr. Morrow's powerful stories, "The Ape, the Idiot and Other People," have won for their author the distinction of being one of the literary giants of California, and in his latest tale he has ably maintained his reputation and even added to it. "A Man: His Mark" is a story of a man and woman who are imprisoned by snow for the winter in a hut on Mount Shasta, a decidedly unconventional plot but handled with rare delicacy and power. The story is a tragedy of singular fascination, and will spread Mr. Morrow's fame in quarters where he is not yet known. The book is attractively bound and printed.

"A QUEEN OF ATLANTIS."

"A Queen of Atlantis," by Frank Aubrey, author of the "Devil-tree of El Dorado," etc., is a weird and powerful romance of the Caribbean sea. The story is one of exciting and marvelous adventure in which deep sea monsters and the lost Atlantis play a large part, but so cleverly has the author done his work that the illusion of the reader is never dispelled by even the most incredible incidents. The story opens with the voyage of the brig Saucy Fan from Liverpool to Rio de Janeiro, one of the passengers being a beautiful girl, who furnishes a charming element in the story. The scenes shift from that desolate ocean grave-yard, the Sargasso Sea, to the Carribbean, and one thrilling incident follows another so rapidly that the reader's interest has no chance to flag. The strange Island of Atlantis, with its marvelous inhabitants, is one of the strongest imaginative conceptions that any writer of fiction has ever put forth, and Mr. Aubrey has handled his weird creation in masterly style. The book is published by J. B. Lippincott Company (Philadelphia and London) and is a tasteful volume, with several striking illustrations.

MEADOW GRASS.

"Meadow Grass," by Alice Brown, is a collection of tales in neat paper binding issued by the famous house of Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston and New York. The scene of these stories is laid in a little New Hampshire village, Tiverton, and the simple life there is depicted in charming style by the pen of a true literary artist. The stories show keen insight, broad sympathies and a sound style. They are pervaded by a delicate humor that relieves the underlying pathos of the volume and lend a special charm to the book.

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LIVING AGE.

American readers will have an opportunity to become familiar with the most striking work which M. Rene Bazin, one of the most gifted of the younger French writers, has thus far done, in the translation of "The Perishing Land," which is to be published serially in the Living Age, beginning in the number for November 4th. This story attracted wide attention on its publication in France, early this year. It is full of incident and of local color, and shows rare skill in the delineation of character.

The Living Age, which recently reprinted from the Nineteenth Century a caustic criticism of the Women's Congress, written by a woman, presents the other side in its issue for November 4th, in an article written for the Nineteenth Century by Fannie H. Gaffney, president of the American Woman's Council.

Lovers of music will find Mr. Keeton's account of Glinka, the father of Russian opera, in the Living Age for November 18th, an article of fresh and unique interest.

The Rev. William Barry's paper, "The Keepers of Literature," in the Living Age for November 4th, is a defense of that much abused class, the literary critics.

THE OUTLOOK.

The Outlook has been fortunate enough to secure an authorized and revised interview by Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, the president of the Philippine Commission, in which Dr. Schurman states his view of the present condition of the Philippine problem, and gives his advice as to some important points of the policy to be pursued in the immediate future. One of the most notable suggestions made by Dr. Schurman is as follows:

"We should have an authoritative declaration on the part of the United States of the form of government and of the rights, privileges and immunities which the Filipinos are to receive from us. I trust that the President and Congress will soon agree on such a grant, and the sooner it is enacted the better. In my opinion, nothing could so much contribute to an adjustment of our Philippine troubles as such a piece of legislation.

"In a word, my advice is to increase your military force to the utmost extent that may, under any circumstances, be necessary, and with those forces annihilate or be ready to annihilate the Tagalog insurgents who are now resisting the authority of the United States, but at the same time tell the inhabitants of the Philippine archipelago, four-fifths of whom are at peace with you, what political status and civil rights you propose to confer upon them. Such a declaration may make the further exercise of power unnecessary. In any event, it will tend to satisfy all the races, except the Tagalogs, who are now actually engaged in war, and it cannot fail to have great influence among men of intelligence and property who are now committed to the Tagalog cause."

This interview with Dr. Schurman is printed in the November magazine number of the Outlook. ($3 a year. The Outlook Company, New York.)

LITERARY NOTES.

The "Life of Charles Francis Adams, Minister to England During the Civil War," has been written by his son, Charles Francis Adams, for the American Statesmen Series, and will appear in November.

The second volume of the valuable collection of letters to Washington which S. M. Hamilton, editor of the writings of James Monroe, is compiling for the Society of Colonial Dames of America, will appear in November, from the press of Houghton, Mifflin & Co. This volume comprises letters that were written during the years 1756-58.

Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co. are to bring out in November Susan I. Lesley's faithful and delightful transcript of New England life, "Recollections of My Mother." Mrs. Lesley's book first saw the light some twenty years ago, and has been since twice reprinted, but is now for the first time formally published.

In "A Ten Years' War" Jacob A. Riis, who has already told a good deal of "How the Other Half Lives," narrates with pathos, humor and grim satisfaction the fight made for decent living in the tenement. The book, whose chapters have been appearing as a series of articles in the Atlantic Monthly, will be published by Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co. in November.

Barbara Yechton, author of several popular stories, has written a romance of girl life which Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co. publish in November. "A Young Savage" recounts the social training in a New York family of a ranch-bred Colorado girl.

"Beyond the Hills of Dream," a volume of poems by W. Wilfred Campbell—who, it may be mentioned, is a member of the Privy Council of Canada—will be published in November by Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co.

"The Sonnets of Michelangelo" have been translated and edited by William Wells Newell, and will appear from the press of Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co. in choice form, with an introduction and the Italian text.

The second edition of Edward Fitzgerald's version of the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam, which contains several quatrains omitted from the other editions, is brought out by Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Co. in a special limited de luxe edition, edited with notes and an introduction by William Augustus Brown.

HOW JOHN CHINAMAN MARRIES.

A somewhat superfluous law of this country shuts out John Chinaman from citizenship. That is no grief to John. He doesn't yearn for the enlightenment of Western civilization typified by foreign devils who attempt to restrict his use of opium and even go so far as to deny him the right of gambling. What he wants to do is to live here on 20 cents a day while making $2 a day, and as soon as he gets enough surplus, go back to his ancestral halls, where he can support a family in great comfort on something like 12 cents a day. The copyright on this article doesn't prohibit persons with a taste for mathematics from using these figures as a basis for calculating how long it will be before, under present conditions, America has a permanent Chinese population. Of course John sometimes marries here and settles down. His wife may be a Chinese woman to whom he was betrothed years before, when she was a baby, and who comes over here in the steerage and under chaperonage to fulfill the obligation entered into by her parents and to find herself the center of very considerable celebrations extending through the three streets of the quarter. In the last wedding of this sort the bride was 21 and the bridegroom 54. The betrothal had lasted since her second year. More often the bride is one of the debauched girl victims of the quarter, and the wedding ceremony is after the American custom, for which the Chinaman has small regard. It matters the less in that the wife commonly dies in a year or two, rarely leaving any offspring. Opium does it. To the Mongolian it is one of the blessings of life. To the Caucasian it is mental, moral and physical decay, then insanity, then death. There is a third class of marriages not pleasant to contemplate, the union of Chinamen to young Sunday school teachers. There was a time, and not long ago, when associations of this kind resulted in several weddings. Many more might have followed had not several outspoken and courageous clergymen delivered warnings from the pulpit of the folly and danger of such alliances, whereupon they were, as a matter of course, denounced in round terms from many other pulpits as enemies to the propagation of the Christian faith.—Leslie's Weekly.

IN SCRIBNER'S.

The Christmas number of Scribner's will contain specimens of the most elaborate color printing. One of the schemes is a religious poem illustrated by the first work in color of Walter Appleton Clark. It has been reproduced with a delicacy and faithfulness to the original which has never been surpassed by the magazine.

C. D. Gibson has shown remarkable ability to tell a story in a series of pictures. In the Christmas Scribner's appears one of his most artistic series, entitled "The Seven Ages of American Woman." These illustrations will be printed on a tint background, after the manner of old engravings.

The new editor of the Atlantic, Prof. Bliss Perry, leads the Christmas Scribner's with the tale of two rival New England meeting houses.

Maarten Maartens, the Dutch author who recently addressed a stirring sonnet to the English people on behalf of the Boers, has a short story in the Christmas Scribner's which gives the romantic experiences of a famous novelist in an English village.

In view of coming expeditions to the Antarctic, Scribner's for Christmas will contain articles by Dr. Frederick A. Cook and Albert White Vorse, giving an account of what America has already accomplished in that field of exploration and what it is still possible for her to accomplish. The articles are illustrated from Dr. Cook's photographs taken during the recent "Belgica" expedition.

THE BOOK BYER.

The Book Byer, published in New York, is the real thing. If one wants to find anything about books and authors one must read the Book Byer. The November number is very interesting. Charles Scribner's Sons always have the finest publications. They never spare expense.

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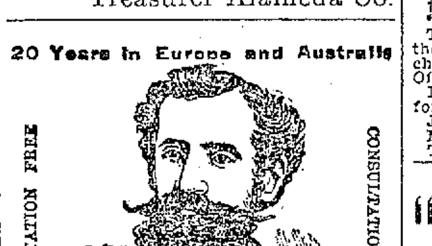

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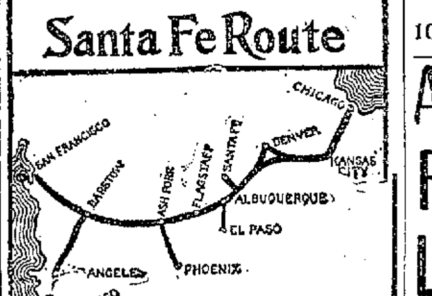

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APPLICATION FOR FRANCHISE.

Advertisement of the fact that the Livermore Water and Power Company of California has applied for a franchise, and that the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California, proposes to grant the same.

In pursuance of a resolution and order of the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California, duly made and passed on the thirtieth day of October, 1899, notice is hereby given that the Livermore Water and Power Company of California, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California and having its office and principal place of business in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, has made application to said Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, State of California, for a franchise, privilege and permission for itself, its successors and assigns to erect, construct, maintain and operate poles and wires necessary to carry a current of electricity along county road No. 1530 commencing at the line of incorporation of the town of Livermore upon said road and running to county road No. 819 and thence to the incorporated limits of the town of Pleasanton upon the same road, for the purpose of furnishing electricity for light and power in the town of Pleasanton and adjacent thereto, also to cross such roads as may intersect said road No. 1530 and also to cross any bridge or bridges that may be upon said road or cross-road of the said county of Alameda, State of California, for the period of twenty-five (25) years from and after the granting of such franchise, privilege or permission.

And that the said Board of Supervisors proposes to grant the franchise, privilege and permission to said Livermore Power and Water Company of California, provided it is the highest and best bidder therefor, otherwise to such person or corporation as shall be the highest and best bidder therefor for cash.

That the character of the franchise or privilege proposed to be granted is as above stated, and the term of its continuance twenty-five (25) years from the date of the ordinance granting the same.

Notice is hereby further given that in pursuance to the said resolution and order written tenders will be received for said franchise or privilege by said Board of Supervisors on the fourth day of December, 1899, which said day has been fixed for the filing of said tenders, at or before the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

Notice is hereby further given that said Board reserves the right to reject any and all tenders for said franchise or privilege, and that no tender will be entertained therefor which does not provide for the payment of the expenses of this advertisement whether the said franchise or privilege be granted or not, and for the publication of the ordinance granting the said franchise or privilege if the same be granted.

Notice is hereby further given that a copy of the ordinance by which said franchise or privilege is to be granted is now on file in the office of the County Clerk of the said county of Alameda, State of California, ex-officio Clerk of said Board, which may be seen upon application to said Clerk.

Dated October 30th 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk of the county of Alameda, State of California, and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors thereof.
By F. H. MASON, Deputy Clerk.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

No. 14,288.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

Department No. 2.

In the matter of J. K. Stewart, an insolvent debtor.

The undersigned, assignee of J. K. Stewart, insolvent, hereby gives notice that under and by virtue of an order of said Superior Court duly made and given on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1899, directing a sale of the real property hereinafter described, the same being a portion of the estate of J. K. Stewart, insolvent, he will on Wednesday, the 6th day of December, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at No. 921 Broadway in the said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, sell at private sale to the highest and best bidder therefor, for cash in United States gold coin, all the right, title and interest of the said insolvent which has come to the undersigned, as assignee, by operation of law, of, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: Situate in the township of Oakland, county of Alameda and State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

All of that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the town of Berkeley, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of lot No. 36 of the Steele tract, Berkeley, California, distant thereon 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Dwight way, thence southerly along said easterly line of said lot No. 36 thirty-five feet, thence at right angles westerly 50 feet, thence at right angles northerly 35 feet and thence at right angles easterly 50 feet to the point of commencement, being the southerly 35 feet of lot No. 36 as the same is delineated and so designated on the "Map of the Steele tract, Berkeley, part of plot number 69, etc.," filed in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county, State of California, April 20th, 1877, Liber 3 of Maps, page 6.

Bids or offers for said property must be in writing and will be received and may be left at No. 921 Broadway, room 3, city of Oakland, the office of John Stewart, assignee of said J. K. Stewart, insolvent.

Notice is hereby further given that said sale will be made subject to confirmation of the said Superior Court of the county of Alameda.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., November 11th, 1899.

JOHN STEWART,
Assignee of J. K. Stewart, an insolvent debtor.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes For the Year 1899.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1899.

To all taxpayers in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said county of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and county taxes for the year 1899, on all property within the county of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1899, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER IN THE YEAR 1899,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1899.

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1900, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1899 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1900, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1900,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the second Monday in October, 1899, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1899.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 9th day of October, 1899.

JAMES B. BARBER.

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the guardianship of the person and estate of Orrin A. Terry, a minor.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, made and filed on the 10th day of October, 1899, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Orrin A. Terry, a minor, the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of said minor, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Friday, 17th day of November, 1899, all the right, title, interest and estate of Orrin A. Terry in and to all his undivided one-half interest in that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the county of Contra Costa, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The north half of the northwest quarter of section fifteen (15) in township one (1) south of range three (3) west of Mount Diablo Meridian in California, containing about eighty (80) acres.

Bids or offers in writing for said property will be received by the undersigned guardian at the office of J. E. McElroy, attorney-at-law, number 969 Broadway street, rooms 47 and 48, city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, or may be filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Alameda county, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the sale is made.

Dated October 31, 1899.

ELIZABETH A. TERRY,
Guardian of the person and estate of said Orrin A. Terry, a minor.
J. E. McELROY, Attorney for Guardian.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In the Superior Court in and for the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of Mary F. O'Rourke (an incompetent).

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, made on the 23d day of October, 1899, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Mary F. O'Rourke (an incompetent), the undersigned guardian of said estate, will sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States, and subject to the confirmation of the said Superior Court, on Monday, the 27th day of November, 1899, at twelve (12) o'clock M. of that day, at the office of William J. Dingee, No. 903 Broadway, Oakland, Cal. Said property to be sold is described as follows, to-wit: All the right, title and interest of Mary F. O'Rourke (an incompetent) in and to the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the southern line of Eighth street, distant thereon one hundred and fifty (150) feet westerly from the western line of Madison street, and running thence westerly along said line of Eighth street fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles southerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles easterly fifty (50) feet, and thence at right angles northerly one hundred (100) feet to the point of commencement.

Being lots numbers ten (10) and eleven (11) in block 82 of the city of Oakland.

Dated, November 1st, 1899.

ELLIE WHALEN,
Guardian of the person and estate of Mary F. O'Rourke (an incompetent).
W. B. WHITE, Att'y for Guardian, 921 Broadway, Oakland.

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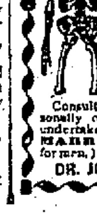

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Time for hot Scotch—D C L Scotch and Irish whiskies— *Highland Club and Killy Croy—regularly* $1 *bottle now* 85c *Caledonian—reg'ly* $1.35 now $1.10

Mackerel for breakfast New—from Norway—full stock now in—tender as chicken *for the three days* 3 *for* 25c *kit* $1.50

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ENDEAVORERS DOWN ON MORMON ROBERTS.

The Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union has adopted the following resolutions:

"Whereas, At the next session of Congress an attempt will be made by Mr. Brigham H. Roberts of Utah to gain a seat in the House of Representatives; and

"Whereas, Said Brigham H. Roberts, by his own confession, has been guilty of polygamous practices during the last several years, which have been carried on in open defiance of the national law and of the constitutional provisions of the State of Utah; and

"Whereas, The seating of the said Brigham H. Roberts as a member of our national legislature would be not only a severe blow to the purity of our American home life, but also a reflection upon our national character and a dire insult to the womanhood of our country; therefore

"Resolved, That we, the members of the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union, in convention assembled, do most emphatically protest against the seating of the said Brigham H. Roberts as a member of Congress; be it further

"Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to our representatives in Congress, and we hereby urge them to do all in their power to prevent the seating of the said Brigham H. Roberts as a representative of the American people."

PLAIN TALK TO MEN AND WOMEN.

An Oakland Pastor Tells a Few Plain Truths About People.

By REV. CHAS. R. BROWN, Pastor of the First Congregational Church.

In one of his parables, Jesus allows us to hear two men at their prayers. They were not talging out loud; it is expressly stated that "the Pharisee prayed thus with himself." He would not have dared to say what he did in the Wednesday night meeting, but, because he was entirely candid in talking with himself, we get the real attitude of his heart. His prayer has the word "God" at the head of it, and is framed in pious language, but it is not a prayer. It is simply a self-congratulatory address. He stood up and shook hands with himself, saying, "Mr. Pharisee, I congratulate you on being such a splendid man. I notice that you fast twice a week, give tithes, and that you are not a low-down extortioner, adulterer, or like that miserable publican." It pleased him to hear all this, even though he had to say it himself. He felt somehow as if God must be as much pleased with him as he was with himself. So he just stood there, proud, smiling, complacent. Jesus reached out and gathered in the whole conceited, self-righteous, self-satisfied spirit that is abroad in society, and set it up before us in flesh and blood, on its own two feet, that we might see how ugly it looks.

Any way you turn, nothing so completely bars the door, bolts it and shuts out all progress as this self-satisfied spirit. The young man in the business world, flip, cocksure, knowing and up-to-date, neither asking nor heeding the counsel of older, experienced men; the student who has the entire subject so thoroughly in hand as to count it an act of condescension to listen to further instruction from the professor; the man or woman in society so infallibly confident of his acceptability and of the engaging quality of his manners as never to take into acount the possible feelings of others in the matter; the boy or girl in possession of such rare sagacity as to what is wise and right as to impertinently refuse the sober wisdom of the parent; the man who goes up into the temple to pray, or who turns his back on the temple and never prays at all, but who stands with the Pharisee in feeling safe, secure and confident in the degree and quality of his own righteousness—all these are in a desperate, pitiable state. As Jesus said, there is more hope for the ill-starred inhabitants of Sodom and Gemorrah than for them, for the very publicans and harlots will go into the kingdom of heaven before them.

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When Jesus spoke, the self-righteous Pharisee was an acceptable church member, and the humble publican was not. Some people think this is still true; that the self-satisfied men are the ones who go to church, sit in the broad aisle, attend prayer-meeting, and give regular contributions to the American Board; and that the self-distrustful are out in the unregenerate world. I do not find it so. The men have shifted places. On the whole, the people who are not professing Christians seem the more satisfied with their present attainments in righteousness. They seem to suffer the least unrest from any sense of unworthiness before God, the fewest twinges of conscience, the least annoyance from disturbing ambitions that summon to loftier heights of character. They sometimes say, "We do not profess anything, but we have always tried to do what was right; we have done the best we could." What a tremendous claim! I could not say that. I do not remember in all my life ever to have heard a Christian say as much. It puts them clearly with the proud, complacent Pharisee. On the other hand, Christians declare plainly their discontent with their present advancement. They constantly seek the advantages of regular, definite religious instruction, the uplift and inspiration of public worship, the cleansing water of baptism, the strengthening and sanctifying Supper of the Lord, the helpful fellowship of Christian people. The self-righteousness lies not with those who say, "We need these helps," but with those who say plainly, "We do not."

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The Pharisees crawled up into self-satisfaction by an ad hominem argument. "I thank God I am not as other men are." What other men? "Extortioners, unjust, adulterers"—criminals all, the lowest and vilest types he could find! What petty soul could not feel elated if he chose the other terms in the comparison! Dean Swift traveled in Ireland and remarked on the poverty. But he said he never found an Irishman so poor but that he had another still poorer Irishman working for him. How men are so evil but that they could find others still lower in the scale. Certain men promptly tell you that, while they make no professions, they are not like some Christians they could name. And whom do they name—genial, wholesome, upright, useful Christians, who serve as fair samples of regenerate character? Oh, no; they choose some poor runt who was not so much as begun with, and who has lived on the north side of the hill, with no sun and little soil, whose whole moral environment has been unpropitious for bearing rich, abundant fruit. They feel they might outclass him in righteousness, and this fills them with confident assurance. It is as though some man whose strength is only moderate as compared with that of other men should pick out a little, crippled boy with one leg and a hunchback, and, after throwing him down, walk away with a proud strut.

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What a pretty conception of life the Pharisee and all his brood have! We are not here to run races with "other men" in righteousness. No man will be asked in the day of judgment if he made better time on the road than Brother A. who has a wooden leg, or Brother B. who has been for years morally rheumatic. The only inquiry will be, Did you put your trust in God and try to do His will; did you accept the Savior of men and follow Him; did you seek divine help and show the world the best life that was possible for you? This, according to the Scriptures and according to the common sense of all same people, will be the basis of judgment, and not some invidious comparison of ourselves with "other men."

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The Pharisee thought a man could be justified by careful attention to some little program of ecclesiastical righteousness he might frame. The modern Roman Catholic often holds the same view. But Paul, the apostle to the Gentiles, and Luke, the evangelist for the Gentiles, both lay strong emphasis on the doctrine of grace. The publican did not claim that he had done anything, except that he had done wrong; and in a brief, sincere prayer he made confession, declared his penitence, asked forgiveness in simple trust, and, as a result, "went to his house justified." According to the trend of Scripture, this is the acceptable way to come to the Father. "He hath respect unto the lowly, but the proud He knoweth afar off." He that exalteth himself shall be abased, but he that humbleth himself shall be exalted." The Christian attitude is not one of pride in personal accomplishments, but one of reverence, trust, obedience and expectancy, and so an attitude that looks toward perpetual and unending growth.—Rev. Charles R. Brown in the Pacific.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

Work on the New Wharf Is Progressing Finely.

Work on Balfour, Guthrie & Co.'s new wharf is steadily progressing. The dredges are now at work filling in the eastern portion of the bulkhead. Work was delayed a short time last week to allow of the heightening of the bulkhead.

An immense amount of mud is being removed, but when the work is completed the company will have by far the finest wharf on this side the bay, and as it is near the lower end of the estuary, below all the bridges and the narrowest portion of the channel, it will afford especial advantages to shipping.

WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.

Preparations are being made for the construction of the draw in the Webster street bridge. In order to allow vessels to pass up and down the channel during the time this portion of the bridge is in course of construction, it has to be built in the position it will occupy when open, that is up and down stream instead of across stream in the position it will occupy when closed for transit.

Piles have been driven up and down stream on both sides of the central pier, which is now crowned with the completed turntable. This temporary piling be used to support the framework of the draw while it is in course of construction.

The steel frame-work for this portion of the bridge is now being piled up on the southern approach—the Alameda side—as fast as it is delivered from the factory.

VESSELS SCARCE.

All along the water front shippers are complaining of the inability to get tonnage. Though freight rates have not risen to any unreasonable extent the scarcity of vessels makes it difficult to get certain kinds of freight transported.

This demand for vessels has stimulated shipbuilding, and reports from the northern shipbuilding district report many vessels in the course of construction. The Alameda shipyards on our own estuary are very busy. Two vessels have recently been launched, and another is in course of construction.

LUMUBER SHIPMENT.

The California Development Company has received by the steamer Westport a cargo of 200,000 feet of selected redwood lumber. This, with a large lot of especially selected yellow pine which the company has stored in its warehouse, will be shipped to Australia, to be used in the interior finishing of buildings.

NEWS NOTES.

Superintendent Fisher of the Puget Sound Lumber Company reports a slight falling off in the lumber business, owing to the time of year and the heavy rains. He considers the prospect for the coming year very bright, and expects a tremendous demand for lumber.

An addition has been built to the Phoenix Foundry, which will be used as a storehouse for fireing clay. This material has to be protected from the weather as it cannot be handled when very wet.

New gutters are being laid on Second street. The streets near the water front are gradually being improved.

Work on the Electric Storage Company's building at the foot of Grove street has been delayed by the rain.

The ferry-boat Garden City brought over 150 tons of pig iron on Friday and Saturday. The iron was consigned to the Oakland Iron Works. It was brought over on trucks, which had to be hauled on and off the boat with a horse.

The old ferryboat Tamalpais, which is being dismantled, is now scarcely recognizable. Her boilers have been blown out, and two schooners are at work carrying away the dismantled portions of the vessel.

No further work is being done on the new ferry slip at the foot of Broadway. The dredger has been taken away, but the construction work has not yet been commenced.

The City Wharfinger's office on the water front is being renovated.

SHIPPING NOTES.

A cargo of 70,000 feet of redwood lumber was discharged at the city wharf on Thursday and Friday by the schooner Northfork. It was consigned to the Humboldt Lumber Company.

The steamer Areata was expected in on Saturday with a cargo of coal, by the Oregon Coal and Navigation Company.

The same company expects to receive 600 tons of Coos Bay coal by the steamer Empire, due tomorrow.

The Puget Sound Lumber Company reports the schooner Sailor Boy with a cargo of pine and the steamer Oleone with a cargo of redwood lumber in transit.

The schooner Newberg was in Friday with a cargo of lumber for the Stone Supply Company.

FINE SHOW AT THE MACDONOUGH.

"Mlle Fifi," which comes to the Macdonough on November 13 and 14, proved a tremendous drawing attraction in New York nearly 200 nights last season. "Fifi" is of Parisian origin, and was adapted from the French of Dumanoir and Carre. The three acts have to do with the domestic complications of a young French Vicomte and his bride, the daughter of a dashing Boston widow, and in the consequent entanglement of the story there figures conspicuously a typical chanteuse of the Felica Borgere, known professionally as "Fifi." The time is the present, and the action passes in Paris. "Fifi" provoked quite a furious storm of critical discussion in New York, this being chiefly based upon the episode where a music hall singer influences the young woman's husband, and by some artful methods seeks to rekindle the dying spark of his former attachment. It is a veritable chameleon of a play, assuming a new complexion every minute. Threading its way through wildly farcical frivolities of this Parisian farce is a very delicate and charming little love story. This perhaps is why "Fifi" is so much admired by women. The play is staged most sumptuously, and the cast is a very notable one, comprising people of recognized skill and popularity who have been identified with many successes. Miss Maud Granger appears as the brusque and breezy Boston widow, Edward Abeles as Vicomte de Puisisac, her son-in-law; Pearl Evelyn as Florence, her daughter; Dore Davidson as Mendoza, a money lender; Richard Williams as a fashionable frivoler, and Miss Mamie Gilroy in the title role of "Mlle Fifi," the gay singer of chansonettes.

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WITH THE MEN WHO LABOR.

Interesting Notes About the Unions in Oakland.

The meeting of the members of the Merchants' Exchange and delegates from the labor organizations of the city last Tuesday evening did not result in the adoption of any general plans or resolutions. Its chief object was to promote good feeling between the merchants and the workmen.

Another meeting is to be called in the near future for the further discussion of the subject.

The chief objects of these meetings are, on the one hand, to bring before the working men the necessity of supporting the local merchants in order to make the city prosperous and employment at good wages plentiful; and on the other hand, to impress upon the merchants the necessity of supporting manufacturing firms which pay their employes living wages, thus enabling them to become consumers.

The interest taken in the past meetings has greatly encouraged the Home Trading Committee of the Merchants' Exchange, and it is probable that at the next meeting resolutions will be proposed endorsing the use of goods made by union labor and recommending home trading.

FEDERATIONS OF UNIONS.

A movement is on foot to form a union of all the labor organizations. No steps have yet been taken to bring the proposition to a head, but it is being quietly discussed among the local unions and the individual workingmen.

Many of the unions are of such recent formation that their members are still busied in perfecting the organization and in endeavoring to strengthen the union and increase the membership.

For this reason it has been thought best not to push the question of a larger organization. However, now that nearly all branches of labor have become organized and many of the unions are becoming quite strong, both numerically and financially, the question of a central union is being brought to the front.

A meeting of delegates from various unions will probably be held before long to discuss the advisability and the ways and means of making the move.

It is the intention of the promoters of the central union to model the new organization after the Labor Council of San Francisco. This union differs radically from any combinations of unions which has existed heretofore on this Coast. The sympathetic strike which has been the chief features of all previous union combinations has been discarded.

It was found that with a labor council formed of many unions of entirely different interests a combined strike was impracticable, and the attempt to enforce such a strike proved the death of the council which existed some years ago.

The new council will be formed for the discussion of questions of mutual interest and for the purpose of giving the moral and financial support of all the labor organizations to any particular union which may be in trouble and need of such support.

In this way it will cover a larger field and have broader and decidedly different aims from the Trades Council which now exists in Oakland and which has for its purpose the promotion of the interests of only those unions belonging to the building trades.

DEBS' SPEECH.

Many of the workingmen of this city heard with interest the address of Eugene N. Debs, the leader in the great railway union strike of 1893, in the Exposition Building last Tuesday evening.

In speaking of the tremendous reduction in wages which has taken place throughout this country Mr. Debs said:

"The reduction of wages has reached the point where they no longer suffice for the support of the laborer, his wife and children, and the wife has been forced to join her husband in the factory in thousands of cases. As I speak, 2,000,000 women are thus employed in the factories of the country. After the women were forced to seek employment in the factories, the next step was when it became necessary for the child to be taken from the school to join them in the factory, and today there are 2,500,000 children engaged in industry. The social and economic conditions under which we live must be judged by their fruits.

"If you visit the cotton sections of the South, you will find that it requires the combined labor of the family to support the family. Hundreds of children are there employed at wages which do not exceed 10 cents per day.

OTHER STATISTICS.

"Much the same conditions exist in the wood factories of the West. In the chair factories of Wisconsin children make not to exceed 48 cents per week."

CARPENTERS.

At its meeting last Thursday evening the Carpenters' and Joiners' Union appointed Messrs. Peates, Getchell and McKenzie as a piess committee. Mr. Getchell, one of the members of the committee, is the business manager of the union in which capacity he will try to adjust all difficulties arising between members of the union and their employees.

MEETING NIGHTS.

Oakland Typographical Union No. 36 meets at Gier's Hall on last Saturday of each month.

Oakland Union No. 36, Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, at Grand Army Hall on Thirteenth street, between Broadway and Franklin, every Thursday evening.

Journeymen Butchers, Becker's large hall, Washington street, between Eighth and Ninth, every Wednesday.

Lathers, Becker's Hall, every Monday.

Plasterers, Becker's Hall, every Tuesday.

Stablers, Becker's small hall, every Wednesday.

Bricklayers, Germania Hall, Webster street, between Sixth and Seventh, the second Wednesday.

Laborers, Germania Hall, first Thursday.

Western Shore Lodge Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen No. 71 at Fidelity Hall, Seventh and Peralta streets, every Monday.

Leland Standford Division No. 283, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Fidelity Hall, every Friday evening.

E. C. Fellows Lodge No. 142 of Locomotive Firemen at Fraternity Hall, Seventh and Peralta streets every Wednesday evening.

Golden Gate Division No. 364, Order of Railway Conductors, Fraternity Hall, corner Seventh and Peralta streets, first and third Sundays, and second and fourth Mondays.

Cigarmakers' International Union No. 251 of Oakland, 1054 Broadway, first and third Tuesdays.

Master Horseshoers' Protective Association, Local 100, Alameda county, at Dania Hall, Eighth and Broadway, first and third Fridays.

Alameda County Musicians' Union, Local No. 33, National League of Musicians of the United States, 412 Twelfth street, first Sunday in each month.

Branch No. 1 of the Cement Workers' Union of Alameda County meets every Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall.

Building Trades Council meets every Monday evening at 1058 Broadway.

Musicians' Mutual Protective Union of Alameda County, headquarters at 1013 Broadway.

Journeymen Plumbers, Gas Fitters and Steam Fitters Association, every Thursday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall.

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CATHEDRALS IN LONDON TOWN.

An Oakland Society Man Tells of His Investigations.

By SUMNER W. BUGBEE, of Lake Street, Oakland.

LONDON, Nov. 1, 1899.—Having enjoyed the summer in old England, visiting her magnificent cathedrals, perhaps you might like to have a letter upon this same subject, and enjoy with me the tour without its discomfort or expense—no tips—just quietly sitting in your easy chair.

St. Paul's was the first cathedral I ever saw, so, though not my favorite, should head the list. The guide book says it is one of the finest specimens of Grecian architecture in existence. Tho' built by Sir Christopher Wren, I beg to differ. Nevertheless, it is, of course, a grand and noble building.

The Grecian and Basilican style for churches does not, to my mind, compare with the Gothic. The cathedral was commenced in 1675 and completed thirty-five years later. They are now decorating the interior, and much discussion has arisen—many finding fault. The large Italian mosaics are superb, but most of the decorations are too trivial for such a grand building.

Of course, you know that Nelson, Wellington and many others of England's heroes are buried here, so do not want any further detail.

CANTERBURY CATHEDRAL.

From London to Canterbury is but a short distance, and we lost no time at the inn but left our bags and hied at once to this most interesting of all the cathedrals. It marks the site of the first introduction of the Christian religion into this country, now the Episcopalian See of England.

Here Thomas a Becket was murdered in 1170. It is beautiful from the distant view of its "Bell Harry" tower, which is a most superb example of the perpendicular extant. Its beauty and interest increases as you draw nigh to enter. Its lofty height then impresses, and as you wander down in the crypt and listen to the story of the murder, and gaze at the monuments of Henry IV, Henry VIII, the Black Prince, and many others; then see where Henry II did penance for the murder and submitted to be scourged (only three lashes) by the bishops, and monks passed the whole night fasting, you are glad to get into the open air, and feel thankful that you live in the present enlightened age.

The windows of this church are fine, belonging to the Thirteenth century.

Queen Elizabeth established the refugees from France and Flanders in the silk business in the crypt, where they worked their looms. The first cathedral dates back to King Lucius and Ethelbert's time.

We enjoyed the long summer twilight wandering around the close, and admired the old Norman staircase and were loth to say adieu to Canterbury's grand old pile. Do you want its size? The nave is 178 feet long and 71 feet wide; its height I don't know. Seems very high.

It may be of interest if I give you the salaries of the Archbishops and Bishops. Remember that each cathedral has a large staff of canons, minor canons, archdeacons, benefices, deans, sub deans, etc., making the payment an immense one.

INCOMES OF THE BISHOPS.

The Bishop of Winchester, says the London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian, is a man whom, whatever may be thought of his theology, no one would accuse of parsimony or defective hospitality. His announcement that he does not feel justified in making an outlay of three or four hundred pounds on feeding his clergy at his visitation is, therefore, all the more remarkable, and strikingly illustrates the changed conditions of the Episcopate. Before the Ecclesiastical Commission threw all the Episcopal incomes into hotchpot, the Bishop of Winchester was credited with £40,000 a year. Bishop Sumner, who died in 1874, was the last survivor of the old system, and had drawn this comfortable income for forty years. One of his predecessors is said to have refused translation to Canterbury on the ground that though "Canterbury had the higher rack, Winchester had the deeper manger." It is estimated that if the Bishop of London now drew the full income of the See he would have £100,000 a year instead of a beggarly ten. Some curious particulars about the personality left by bishops were a few years ago published by a clergyman who had examined the subject at the Probate Office. Bishop Monk of Gloucester left $£140,000; Bishop Maltby of Durham, £120,000; Lord Auckland, Bishop of Bath and Wells, and Bishop Baring of Durham, the same comfortable sum; Bishop Wordsworth of Lincoln, £85,000; Bishop Fraser of Manchester, £85,000; Bishop Sumner of Winchester, £80,000; Bishop Jackson of London, £72,000. The average personality left by the Bishops who died between 1856 and 1886 was £54,000. It as no doubt raised by the fact that one or two—such as Lord Auckland and Bishop Baring—had private means. But it is not a bad average for the successors of the Apostles. In cases such as that of Winchester, where a See with a reduced income is saddled with an Episcopal residence like Farnham Castle, of which the stair carpets are measured by miles, the necessary outgoings and indispensable charities leave very little margin for hospitality. The future of these overgrown palaces is a difficult point in ecclesiastical economy. The proposal most generally favored among church people is that they should be converted into clerical training colleges, like Cuddesdon or Wells, on a much grander scale.

Some poor Curates have to pinch along on a beggarly sum per annum, so in the church as in the rest of the world, the money is very unevenly divided. The Archbishop of Canterbury, Primate of all England and Metropolitan, leads the list with the comfortable salary of £15,000 yearly and Lambeth palace.

The Bishop of London £10,000 and Fulham palace.

ELY CATHEDRAL.

Ely is a delightful cathedral from every point of view, outside and in. It is beautifully situated on a high hill with grand old trees near by but not obstructing the view. It is of a mixed architecture, from early Norman to late perpendicular.

The choir is the best type of decorated Gothic. The lanteen and octagon just where the transepts and nave meet is different from all other cathedrals and is most beautiful. The massive light columns forming an octagon, probably the best specimen of pure decorated gothic in England. The roof above the piers forms the only Gothic dome in existence and the view shown from this point is indescribably beautiful.

The cathedral measures 505 feet in length and is the longest Gothic church in Europe, so says the guide book.

Foundations laid at the end of the eleventh century. The Bishop's salary is £5,500, with Ely Palace and Ely House, Piccadilly.

I got some fine rubbings from the old brasses of one of the old Bishops. We left Ely with regret and could have stayed another day with pleasure, but time was short, and Peterboro cathedral was nigh.

Peterboro cathedral did not please me as I had expected; perhaps lovely Ely had captivated me. It was built upon an old Benedictine Abbey by Henry the VIII to his Queen Katherine of Arragon. "And verily no Queen ever had a nobler monument than this majestic old Abbey Church of Peterborough the Proud." I agree with Hawthorne in his admiration of the close.

Mary Queen of Scots was buried here until removed to Westminster Abbey.

Queen Katherine's grave is near the Choir.

I stayed to Vesper service; the singing was excellent. The church is a fine example of Norman work. Three noble arches in the front 80 feet high. Nave is 265 feet long by 80 wide. Original church erected in the tenth century. Bishop's salary £4,500 and Palace Peterboro.

Lincoln cathedral was built about the end of the twelfth century, and is in the early English and sits enthroned upon a hill and is a majestic landmark for miles and miles the country round. We had a hard time getting there, for the grouse season had just opened and a bank holiday, too, so everybody and his wife seemed bent on travel. The cars were packed. No seconds, so the chirds filled the first to overflowing. You had to fight to get your baggage changed at the junctions. A miserable arrangement, the baggage system here. But at last we arrived at Lincoln and found a regiment of redcoats drawn up to receive me, it being muster day.

I advise tourists to go to the White Hart Inn, as it is at the top of the big hill and next the cathedral.

The afternoon service had commenced and the singing was very good indeed, quite enjoyable before our tour of inspection.

An old Verger took us around; he admired this and hated that part of the church; this tomb had no business there, as it spoiled the view, etc. At the end I almost thought he built the cathedral and owned it all.

Of course, we bought an image of the imp of Ely. A grotesque cross-legged little fellow. You will find that the old Monks who built these cathedrals had some wags amongst them, for here and there you will see queer funny carvings on the walls under the choir seats or in out-of-the-way places.

All over England you see that Cromwell and his soldiers did more than old Father Time to help ruin these noble edifices. Here in Lincoln I saw an old iron choir where Cromwell used to tie his horse.

His men kept their horses stalled in the Choir stalls, as they did in most of the other cathedrals. Recently in London they had to return money collected for a monument to Oliver, as so little was subscribed. I thought of all this as I looked at his slab in Westminster Abbey. No one really knows where his bones are laid. He might like to lie where his horses used to be stalled.

The Choir is fine. I sat in one of the stalls Sunday and enjoyed the service greatly. They have just built a new organ, and it filled the big Minster with melody.

The Angel Choir is a beautiful set of Gothic arches with an angel carved over each. The Rose window here is one of the finest. The Lady Chapel is graceful and the west front has both the Norman and early English architecture. I like best the exterior of the east end, a pure Gothic with heavy flying buttress. I ascended the tower of the castle near by just as the sun was flooding the front of the cathedral, and had an extended view for twenty miles on either hand, a most pleasing and delightful rural panorama, with busy city at my feet, the long, low, level meads and farmers' cottages and haymakers at work, with the river winding in and out like a silver thread, with the Minster towering above it well repaid me for our climb.

YORKMINSTER.

The York Cathedral is the metropolitan of the northern provinces. Built in the form of a cross is in decorated Gothic, early English and perpendicular style of architecture. Commenced in the Eleventh Century, took two and a half centuries to build and covers two and a half acres of ground. Has an old Norman crypt of the eighth century.

The east window is noted for its beautiful glass and size, being 33 x 75 feet—the second largest window, that of Gloucester being three feet longer but not wholly filled with stained glass. The Chapter house is superb with its exquisite stained glass. The Archbishop's salary is £10,000.

RIPON CATHEDRAL.

From the immense Yorkminster to Ripon is a great difference—it is the smallest of its class on the way to Fountains Abbey and is easily visited—originally founded in 680 and the present cathedral has a part of the old crypt still standing; is Norman transition style and has been restored lately; nave is 170 x 90 feet. The old grave-yard and its quaint tombstones clustering around the church is interesting. Bishop's salary is £4,200 and Palace of Ripon.

DURHAM CATHEDRAL.

This cathedral as Scott says of it seems "Half house of God, half castle 'gainst the Scot," attracted us from the very first moment we got sight of it, springing from the wood and river, seeing no foundation, it seems like some gigantic castle high in the air.

We stayed a week and enjoyed it as much upon our last visit, if not more, than upon our first; it grows on one.

The exterior did not attract me except the massive tower, but the interior with its massive Norman columns, with their zig-zag and lattice ornamentation, its perfect proportion, excellent light and its choir and nine altars and Galilliel Chapel with their beautiful clustering columns reminding one a little, only a little, of the Mosque at Cordova. All seems to make Durham stand out among the cathedrals as almost my favorite. Each has some particular beauty, though only Lincoln can approach it for commanding position. It was commenced in the Tenth century and only partly finished in the Thirteenth. The first edifice was of wood before the Tenth century. "The Bishop of Durham was a temporal Prince. Offenses were against the peace of the Bishop, and writs ran in his name. The King's judges sat at Durham, but at the Bishop's request. This ceased in 1836, when the last Prince Bishop died and the See was extinguished." The sides and walls by the river Wear are most beautiful, the great minister dominating the landscape from every point. The library is interesting, and has relics from Saint Cuthbdert's tomb, placed there in 687 and removed in 1827. The nave is 200 feet long by 60 wide—total length 470. The Bishop's salary is £7,000, and Auckland Castle and Bishop Auckland two places.

LITCHFIELD CATHEDRAL.

Litchfield Cathedral of the thirteenth century is a beautifully decorated Gothic building, very florid, built of a warm red stone, and with its three graceful spires compels your admiration and causes you to pause long, gazing at its rich carvings before entering. The interior is fine, especially the Lady Chapel with its rich ornamentation.

I enjoyed this cathedral with two Oakland neighbors, and wished we had Aladin's lamp and could carry the church to Oakland and give it to St. Paul. Dr. Johnson was born near the cathedral. Total length 371 feet. The Bishop's salary is £4,000, the Palace Litchfield.

OXFORD CATHEDRAL.

Christ Church College Chapel is the cathedral at Oxford. Norman style and perpedicular in style. What I liked best of all were the Burne Jones stained glass windows, which are fine. The immense quadrangle in front and the deep toned bell called Big Tom attract one. The Bishop's salary is £5,000 and Caddesdon Palace.—Sumner W. Bugbee in Oakland Saturday Night.

OUR FRUIT MEN TO HOLD CONVENTION.

The Twenty-fourth State convention of Fruit Growers of California will convene at San Jose, under the auspices of the State Board of Horticulture, on Tuesday, December 12, 1899, and continue in session four days. A cordial invitation is extended to all fruit growers, shipers, packers, nurserymen and others interested in horticulture and kindred pursuits to be present and take part in the proceedings of the convention, and it is hoped that every branch of the industry will be represented.

There are problems that confront orchardist that can only be solved by the combined wisdom and energy of the great body of fruit growers working in harmony.

Essays will be read during the session that are deemed of the utmost importance to the fruit interest in general, and all interested should take an active part in this matter and attend. Ample time and opportunity will be given visitors to visit orchards, packing-houses, fruit exchanges, etc., and a trip will be made to Stanford University to enable visiting horticulturists to listen to lectures by eminent professors.

The committee in charge of the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the establishment of the State Government of California extends an invitation to all attending to assist in the Golden Jubilee which takes place soon after adjournment of the convention.

The Southern Pacific Company will issue excursion tickets to all persons going to the convention and returning at reduced rates, from all points on their lines to San Jose, provided a receipt for the ticket purchased be taken at starting point. This will be countersigned by the secretary and will entitle the holder to a return ticket at one-third the regular rate.

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